

HUNS FLEE BEFORE NEW SOVIET DRIVE

Churchill In London, Resumes War Direction

CHEERS RING IN
COMMONS FOR
PRIME MINISTERNo Relief Desired From
Official Burdens Of
National Leadership.

RECOVERY IS COMPLETE

Parliament Told Talk On
Fight Progress Planned
For Near Future

LONDON, Jan. 18—Prime Minister Winston Churchill, again the picture of health after his critical illness with pneumonia, returned from the Mediterranean today and immediately resumed direction of the British war effort.

Within an hour and a half of the time he stepped from his special train in London, Churchill was before a cheering house of commons assuring members that he expected no relief from some of the official burdens he has been bearing since 1940.

Even before he arrived at parliament, shortly before noon, he had been told of invasion preparations and urgent matters of state by members of his cabinet who met him at the station.

He was asked in commons what steps had been taken to shift from him some of his duties, because of his serious illness, his second siege with pneumonia within a year.

"I am obliged to you for your solicitude," Churchill responded, "but I have no changes to propose at present in my routine."

When Comdr. Oliver Locker-Lampson proposed a toast to the prime minister, he replied with a typical Churchill twinkle in the eye:

"It's very early in the morning."

To Discuss War

Asked if he could make any statement on the Allied progress in Italy, he replied that he would like to speak to commons in the near future about the general progress of the war, but would ask some latitude about the actual date.

Members of parliament greeted the prime minister with terrific enthusiasm when he made his unexpected appearance almost immediately on his return to London from the Mediterranean, where he recuperated from the grave illness that laid him low following the epic Teheran and Cairo conferences.

Churchill was accompanied back to England by his wife, who flew to his bedside in the Mediterranean area when he was stricken, his daughter, Sarah, and Lord Moran.

Greeted at Station

The party reached London at 10 a. m. BST, their arrival semi-private.

The prime minister arrived at the London terminus in a special train, to be greeted by relatives, intimate friends, members of his

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OUR WEATHER MAN

LOCAL
High Monday, 30.
Year ago, 40.
Low Tuesday, 17.
Year ago, 32.

TEMPERATURES ELSEWHERE

High, Low

Akron, O. 40 15

Atlanta, Ga. 47 26

Bismarck, N. Dak. 48 14

Bloomington, Ill. 55 15

Burbank, Calif. 52 44

Chicago, Ill. 45 19

Cincinnati, O. 26 19

Cleveland, O. 41 15

Dallas, Tex. 39 13

Denver, Colo. 61 23

Detroit, Mich. 33 14

Duluth, Minn. 28 17

El Paso, Tex. 64 34

Huntington, W. Va. 49 9

Indianapolis, Ind. 49 23

Kansas City, Mo. 52 52

Louisville, Ky. 49 26

Milwaukee, Wis. 68 52

Minn.-St. Paul, Minn. 68 52

New Orleans, La. 62 41

New York, N. Y. 34 19

Oklahoma City, Okla. 54 30

Pittsburgh, Pa. 41 24

Tulsa, Okla. 37 17

Washington, D. C. 49 22

Angel's Wings

CAPITAL FEARS
RUSSIAN STAND
MEANS TROUBLEMoscow Seen As Rocking
Boat Of Allied Unity By
Startling Moves

HARMONY HOPE HARD HIT

Allies Puzzled By Claim
Britain Has Held Peace
Talks With Huns

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18—A shocked and bewildered diplomatic Washington feared today that Anglo-American political relations with Russia are entering troubled waters.

Moscow was seen rocking the boat of Allied unity by the following two startling moves:

1. Its action in indirectly accusing Great Britain of discussing a separate peace with Germany.

2. Its rejection of the Polish government's proposal to have the United States and Great Britain act as mediators in a negotiated settlement of the boundary dispute between Poland and Russia.

The harmonious political relations which official Washington hoped had been firmly established between the three major Allied powers at the Teheran and Moscow conferences were considered to have received a severe jolt by Moscow's moves.

Parleys Under Way

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18—Consultations are now underway between the American and British governments to see what can be done to repair the dent in Allied unity, and to prevent it from developing into a more serious breach.

Chief apprehension in Washington centered around Moscow's accusation against Great Britain. Official sources were not only frankly puzzled but deeply concerned at the motive behind Pravda's action in publishing an alleged rumor from Cairo that British representatives had conferred with German Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop concerning the possibility of a separate peace with Germany.

In the first place, authoritative American sources said they did not believe any such conference had taken place. Secondly, they were unable to understand why Moscow should wish to cast suspicion.

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FIRM PROMOTES
THREE, 1800 TO
GO ON STRIKE

BAYONNE, N. J. Jan. 18—Officials of the Tide Water Oil Company had until noon today to comply with a union ultimatum demanding recognition of employees' seniority rights, or else face the probability of a strike of the plant's 1,800 workers.

The President wants everything so there can't be any compromise," said Bankhead, a leader in the fight to ban consumer subsidies and roll-backs. "We will have to fight the issue out on the Senate floor."

Sen. Ellender (D) La., who led the successful move before the Christmas recess of Congress to postpone a showdown by continuing the Commodity Credit Corporation until February 17 without an anti-subsidy amendment, likewise saw no chance of compromise.

"We have to accept the subsidy principle in full or not at all," said Ellender.

"They are talking about a food stamp plan, but I think this would cost more than subsidies, and

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CZASTER RAPS
RUSSIAN LAND
GRAB IN POLAND

BUFFALO, N. Y. Jan. 18—Russia's demands for discard of the treaty of Riga and adherence to the Curzon line were termed "unjust" today by Stanley E. Czaster, president of the Polish Union of America.

"I am convinced that no impartial committee would consider Russia's position for a moment," he declared. "It is so patently unjust."

"My feeling is that the United States and Great Britain should be the intermediaries. Any recommendation they would make, I have no doubt, would be scrupulously accepted and observed by

Poland."

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TITO WOUNDED?

LONDON, Jan. 18—An unsubstantiated report that Marshal Tito (Josip Broz), Yugoslav partisan leader, was wounded during fighting with Nazi occupation forces in Montenegro was broadcast today by the Cairo radio.

There was no confirmation from any responsible source of the dispatch.

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Fortresses.

Dazed Survivors Sit In Open After Earthquake



SUFFERING from shock, survivors of the earthquake that destroyed San Juan, Argentina, sit dazedly in the open air, above, because nearly every building in the city was leveled. Thousands of persons were reported killed as buildings crumbled to the ground.

BYRD PLANS TO
PROBE BUDGETNeed For 108 Billion To
Be Investigated By
Economy Board

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18—Sen. Harry F. Byrd (D) Va., said today his economy committee will thoroughly investigate the need for the 108 billion dollar budget asked by President Roosevelt for the 1944-45 fiscal year.

Although the estimates of the number of victims varied considerably, the sanitation chief of the nearby province of Cordoba to which many of the homeless and injured had been removed said that he believed at least 5,000 persons were killed. On the other hand, the sanitation chief of San Juan itself said "approximately 3,000" were dead and 9,000 injured.

Adding to the misery of survivors was water surging from cracks opened by the tremors, as well as torrential rains.

Troops not actually engaged in rescue work among the ruins were detailed to marshal the homeless population, estimated to approach 70,000 persons, to the city's outskirts for evacuation. The majority was expected to be properly sheltered by nightfall.

Meanwhile, as the day of official "national mourning" dawned, there was available some 10,000,000 pesos which the Argentine government voted to cover preliminary relief expenses.

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PEOPLE FOR FUNDS
SOUNDS AS BOND
CAMPAIGN OPENS

The fourteen billion dollar fourth war loan drive got officially underway today with American government and military leaders appealing for funds to back the 1944 offensives against Germany and Japan.

Investigation will continue regarding the unexpended balances as well as those amounts which are now obligated on contract basis, with a view toward return.

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NEW NAZI PLANE
DEVELOPED TO
FIGHT BOMBERS

LONDON, Jan. 18—The Germans, desperately trying to combat the mounting Allied air offensive against the Reich, were reported today to have developed a fighter plane which presents a greater threat than the much publicized rocket-firing interceptors.

The London Daily Mail, quoting a "reliable" source, said the latest German fighter planes are being equipped with a 30 millimeter cannon. The projectile fired reportedly is more than twice the size of that used by American

Fortresses.

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THIEF GETS RID
OF STOLEN SHIP
PLANS IN A HURRY

JERSEY CITY, N. J. Jan. 18—The thief who stole a suitcase from T. L. Paget, of Falls Church, Va., got rid of it rather quickly when he discovered the contents—secret plans for a navy transport.

Jersey City police reported to-day that while they, the FBI and naval intelligence officers' were hunting for the thief, Dorothy Fairbanks found the suitcase in her backyard where it had been tossed away. The plans were intact.

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Record Fog
Blankets DistrictSingle Accident Reported
As Traffic Slows
To Standstill

Circleville and Pickaway county were blanketed today with one of the heaviest fogs recorded in recent years, traffic being slowed to a standstill and hotel facilities becoming overcrowded by persons who could drive no farther. Only one traffic accident was reported.

The accident involved Loring Wittich, 111½ West Main street, and the Misses Abbe Mills Clarke and Alice Ada May, of 162 West Union street.

All three were taken to Berger hospital at 1:30 a. m. Tuesday after a collision near South Bloomfield. None of the three was seriously hurt, although all required hospitalization for bruises and abrasions.

The accident was reported by Deputy Sheriff Vern Pontious to

Mail Carrier Billy Betts drove his car to the postoffice Tuesday morning and went over most of his route "on instruments," or so he says. "There just was no way to know where you were," Betts declared. He had difficulty Monday night, also, driving a mile past his home after attending a highway patrol auxiliary meeting in Lancaster. He was one of the scores of local persons who "missed their own gate" Monday night.

The Circleville trio was returning home after attending a concert in Columbus.

Numerous other Circleville persons who attended the concert remained in Columbus all night rather than brave the fog.

The fog appeared early Monday evening, traffic being slowed to almost a standstill as early as 7:30. The clock in the courthouse tower could not be seen from the post-office at 8:30. As the night wore on the fog refused to lift and was as dense at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning as it was in the evening. A fog also prevailed Monday, but was not nearly so intense as that of Monday night and Tuesday morning.

Officially, the governors convened to discuss their demand for removal of freight rates on manufactured and processed goods which they charge discriminatory unfairness against the South. The case is now pending before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

But their visit included a "social" call at the White House, during which the President was quoted as supporting their freight rate demand, and a session with state and house delegations from the several states.

A Democratic revolt in the South?—not a chance," declared Gov. Chauncey Sparks of Alabama.

Gov. J. Melville Broughton of North Carolina conceded that unrest over federal encroachment on states' rights and wartime disparities between farm prices and labor costs was "right serious," but emphasized:

"I don't think it has reached a point where North Carolina would fail to support the national Democratic ticket. I say there will be very definite support for a fourth term. Our state will not want a change in the leadership if the war is still on."

CAPITAL FEARS RUSSIAN STAND MEANS TROUBLE

Moscow Seen As Rocking Boat Of Allied Unity By Startling Moves

(Continued from Page One) on Britain merely on the basis of an alleged Cairo rumor.

See Definite Move

Diplomatic and official Washington was certain of only one thing—that there was a definite motive behind publication of the accusation against Britain in the strictly-controlled leading Soviet newspaper.

Among the diplomatic and official "guesses" as to what prompted the Soviet move were the following:

1. A warning to Great Britain and the United States against any deal with the Germans to occupy Germany while the Nazi armies hold the Soviet forces at bay on the eastern front. There have been persistent reports in Sweden and other neutral countries that the Germans might decide to let the Anglo-American armies occupy Germany before the Russians get there in the hope they would be saved from Soviet reprisals. The possibility was seen that Moscow may be fearful something might develop along this line and that Russia would be denied the opportunity of participating in the occupation of Germany.

2. A Soviet slap at the British for giving counsel to the Polish government in London, with whom Russia refuses to resume diplomatic relations.

3. Preparation for some move which the Soviet government may have in mind and which may prove disagreeable to Britain, such as the establishment of a puppet regime in Poland.

Whatever the motive, Washington generally felt the Pravda move was intended in part, at least, to make the Russian people suspicious of the British.

Meanwhile, the American government was awaiting a reply from Moscow to its offer to use its good offices in getting the Soviets and the Poles back on speaking terms. In view of the Soviet rejection of the Polish proposal, it was feared the American offer may prove abortive.

London Puzzled

LONDON, Jan. 18—Allied circles, still puzzled by yesterday's ten-line item in the Moscow newspaper Pravda quoting an alleged rumor of British-German separate peace talks—wholly denied by Britain's foreign office—pondered that pre-invasion bombshell today.

A Reuter News Agency dispatch from Moscow said, meanwhile, that none of the other Moscow papers reproduced Pravda's Cairo rumor today, nor did they refer to the British denial.

London's newspapers were up in arms at the hint carried by the communist party organ, a quasi official publication, attributed to Greek and Yugoslav sources and written by a Pravda correspondent in Cairo.

The Daily Mail bluntly heralded the report as an "insult to the British people."

"It bears all marks of enemy origin," the mail added. "It is astonishing that a responsible newspaper like Pravda should have given it publicity. It must be remarkably ignorant of British national standards."

Slips Through Censor

(Editor's note: There is strict censorship in Cairo, and informed circles expressed wonderment that the dispatch, apparently planted by Nazi sources seeking to sow discontent among the Allies, got through.)

THE OLD HOME TOWN

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TOM GILLILAND QUITS AS CHIEF OF PARK BOARD

Tom O. Gilliland, chairman of the Circleville Park Commission, submitted his resignation Tuesday to Mayor Ben H. Gordon and at the same time urged the mayor to appoint a Park Commission which will "see the necessity and possibilities of the park for the future pleasure of the young people of the community."

Mr. Gordon indicated that since Mr. Gilliland had requested it that he would accept the resignation. Announcement is expected to be made in the next few days of the commission's reorganization. Any reorganization is expected to include two members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce which has taken a leading role in having the Ted Lewis Recreation Center put into condition for recreation for all children of the city and county.

Mr. Gilliland informed the mayor: "My reason for asking to be relieved of this job is not that it takes too much time or work, but because I feel the job should be given to a younger man who is participating in sports that the park provides, or has a family of children coming on that will use the playground."

"I am sure that a man who will use the ball diamond for his recreation will be more aggressive in building this park through the coming years into a spot that all citizens will be proud of and willing to help maintain. So please pick out good, young progressive citizens and turn them loose with suitable associates and use your own influence on members of the council that they may treat the park financially as it should be treated."

"Other cities our size have and maintain parks, so I see no reason why some members of our city government should consider every cent that is spent out there to be money wasted."

"Let us all remember that the boys who are away now fighting for us will come back some day and if they see a weed patch where they expect a nice place for their recreation those of us whom they depend on to keep the things going here will catch a little Cain I am afraid."

Gov. Ellis Arnall of Georgia, whose state Democratic committee soon will pick delegates to the party convention expected to be called for July in Chicago, chose to emphasize that the Georgia delegation will be uninstructed. But the reform administration governor left no doubt he expected Mr. Roosevelt to be the presidential nominee and that Georgia's convention votes would be spotted primarily to guarantee an acceptable Southerner for the vice presidency.

Sergeant Bradburn was stationed at Lockbourne army air base when he and the former Miss Hinkle met. They were married in Ashville and removed shortly after to Stuttgart. Mr. Bradburn was a mess sergeant.

Sergeant Bradburn was a native of Greenville, Tenn., and had been in military service since August, 1941, when he volunteered. Had he lived until February 20 he would have been 25 years old.

Authorities at Hamilton field, San Rafael, where the plane was based, said eight men were believed to have been aboard and all were killed but an army sergeant in charge of a crash crew at the scene reported only seven bodies were found in the wreckage.

Firemen reported that Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jacobson, occupants of the house, escaped injury.

The death toll earlier had been placed at eleven by Fire Chief William G. Lupke of Oakland. Confusion immediately after the crash was blamed for the inaccurate count of victims given the west chief.

Friends pictured Willkie as impressed with Crum's plea that he enter the race in California, where Republican Gov. Earl Warren's decision to run in the primary has caused the pro-Willkie faction considerable concern.

Willkie followers maintain that in view of Gov. Warren's disavowal of intention to actually run for either president or vice-president, his entry in the primary is designed to block the pledging of California GOP convention delegates to Willkie.

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And—it is, perhaps, the most important of all War Loans. For it comes at a time when the eyes of all the world are upon us; the eyes of our friends, the eyes of our enemies, the eyes of our own fighting men.

We have just entered the crucial year of the war, a year of destiny, a year that promises to decide how good or bad a world we'll have to live in all the rest of our lives. And the world is wondering how deeply we mean it when we promise our men we'll back their attack, and when we promise our Allies we'll stick with them not only through the winning of the war but through the winning of the peace as well.

The Fourth War Loan is the home front's first big test of this new and vital year. It will take unity and determination of will of all the people to make the Loan succeed.

The need for this and other War Loans should

be clear to every American. This war is the costliest effort ever undertaken by any country. It costs 250 million dollars each day. This is just the cost of the war, in addition to the regular, inescapable cost of running a great and huge country. Taxes can't take care of all this outgo. Neither can government borrowing from insurance companies, savings banks, corporations, and other large investors. It is necessary to turn to the people, their weekly wages, their savings accounts, the money tucked away in pantry sugar bowls, in socks, under mattresses.

This is as it should be. In a democracy, war is the business of all the people. Some must fight, some must work and put up the money.

It's the *only* way to raise the money. It's also the *right* way to raise the money. It gives you a good place to invest the extra money you have today. It's a curb on inflation, on that dangerous bulk of pocket money that leads to black markets and disastrous spending. It's a mattress for tomorrow, a sort of individually planned Social Security that will bring in welcome money in the years ahead when income might not be the Mississippi flood it is today.

These last are not the reasons for the Loans.

IN THE 4th WAR LOAN PICKAWAY COUNTY'S GOAL IS \$1,244,000
OF WHICH \$558,000 MUST BE BOUGHT BY INDIVIDUAL SUBSCRIBERS! THIS AMOUNT OF BONDS MUST BE BOUGHT BY FEBRUARY
1st. WE CANNOT LET OUR BOYS DOWN NOW!

They are extra reasons, however, over and above the \$1 interest you get on every \$3 you invest. The fundamental reason for the Fourth War Loan is that your beloved America, at war and in danger, needs your help!

Every one who has a job or savings, should invest *at least* \$100—if possible, \$200, \$300, or \$500 *extra*. Some 5,000,000 Americans, volunteers, will be working to sell these Bonds. One of these volunteers will ask you to buy, where you work, at your home, or some other place. If by some chance, you're missed, find out where to buy and buy on your own.

The place where you work will have a quota. That's where you should make your major investment. That's where your personal quota really counts.

But...

The place you live also has a quota. Try to invest there, too. Other people will ask you. Salespeople, in retail stores, have volunteered to help and have an individual quota. If they ask you to buy, try to buy from them, too. Movie theaters, restaurants, schools, banks, postoffices, and many other places also will be selling bonds.

The Fourth Loan is a test of us as a nation.

The eyes of our fighting men are upon us to see if we are backing them.

... The eyes of our Allies are upon us to see if we are with them.

... The eyes of our enemies are upon us to see if we are soft enough to fall for a non-victorious, here-today-gone-tomorrow peace ...

Are we? *The answer is in your pocket!*



Let's all BACK THE ATTACK!

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LOST BEARINGS

IT was a terrifying yet illuminating experience that a cadet flyer had in the air at Chico, Cal., the other day. At 3,000 feet, he seemed to lose his sight and, in a panic, he flew around screaming into his radio, "I'm blind! I'm blind!"

The man in the control tower down on the flying field knew what to do. He quietly told the sightless flyer to follow his instructions implicitly. He kept the frightened novice circling around at the same level till he got the field cleared and an ambulance at hand, naturally fearing a crack-up. Then, just as if it were regular procedure, he told the trembling man up in the sky to lose altitude, to circle, to bank, and so on, bringing him little by little down to the flying field, just as if the flyer had never done it before. The latter was still sightless, but the calmness and "know how" of the control man reassured him, and he made a perfect landing.

It was evidently a case in which the novice had gone temporarily blind through fear. Such things may happen on solid ground as well as in the air. In such a case sight presumably would return when the fear was overcome.

The important thing is not to be afraid. And that is something which, in these times, many people must learn.

HISTORY'S ALLIES

GOOD sometimes comes from unexpected sources. The bombing of London has done something for the historians. The destruction of old landmarks revealed older buildings lying beneath, some going back over 1,000 years to Saxon times, buildings whose existence was undreamed of. They bid fair to add much to the knowledge of life in these earlier days.

Years ago planes flying over Stonehenge, that primitive English temple which may be 3,000 years old, took pictures which disclosed avenues running out of the temple in directions previously unsuspected. In all these years of ploughing and building, the original lines, invisible from the ground, remained for airplane pictures to discover.

History has, indeed, strange allies.

One of those things that just happen is that the War Manpower Commission at Washington lacks manpower. They need a dozen experts in that field, and cannot get them. Next it will be announced that the Treasury department lacks treasure, and that the Interior department is all crust, and hollow inside.

The organized "drys" are right, anyway, in fighting "pay-day drinking and weekend sprees." No war was ever won that way.

Omar Khayyam wanted to shatter this crazy world to bits "and then remold it nearer to the heart's desire." We seem to be going at least half way.

The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

By DREW PEARSON

UNION FORBIDS UNLOADING

WASHINGTON—One day, OCD had a lot of documents to deliver to the War department Pentagon building, across the river from Washington. Previously, OCD had found that delivery by "appropriate channels" took days, even weeks. So they decided to make this delivery personal and direct.

An OCD official took a private car, drove across the bridge, and drew up before the "south loading" entrance of the giant building. A crew of workmen were loitering inside the entrance, but they offered no assistance in taking the carful of packages into Pentagon. And when asked, they refused to help.

It turned out that the men were "loaders," not "unloaders," and their union rules forbade them to lift packages INTO the building; they could only lift them OUT.

CHINESE LADY LEADER

The residence of the Chinese ambassador to Washington, Dr. Wei Tao-ming, and Madame Wei, is known as "Twin Oaks." The name is symbolic. This couple is almost as strong in the councils of the Chinese National People's party as the Generalissimo and Madame Chiang.

Madame Wei is no willow tree. She stands like an oak beside her husband. Few people are aware of the part she has played in reshaping the government of China.

When only 15, she became a leader in the revolution against the emperor. She went to Japan, joined the Chinese revolutionary party, and was sent back to Peking as a listening post. Her father's home became a revolutionary headquarters.

She even volunteered to carry bombs from Tientsin to Peking. Back and forth she went, bringing enough bombs to the capital to start the revolution.

After the crisis was over, the party sent her to France as a reward. There, in a Paris law school, she met Wei Tao-ming. They returned to Shanghai together to practice law, and there they were married.

In 1922, when Dr. Sun Yat-sen organized the revolt against the Peking government, they both threw themselves into the cause. And when the new National government was established in Nanking in 1926, Madame Wei was offered the post of minister of justice. But she demurred, and urged that her husband be appointed instead.

This was to be the first of three occasions when the Oriental lady stepped aside in favor of her husband. In 1941, she was suggested for the post of Chinese minister to France. Again she demurred and urged that her husband be appointed instead.

While they were enroute to France, crossing the United States, the Vichy government came into such disfavor that they went no further. China decided it wanted no representation at Vichy.

The Chinese government was just changing its ambassador in Washington. Madame Wei was asked if she would take the post. For the third time, she demurred, and the appointment went to Dr. Wei.

Thus came the "twin oaks" to the Chinese embassy.

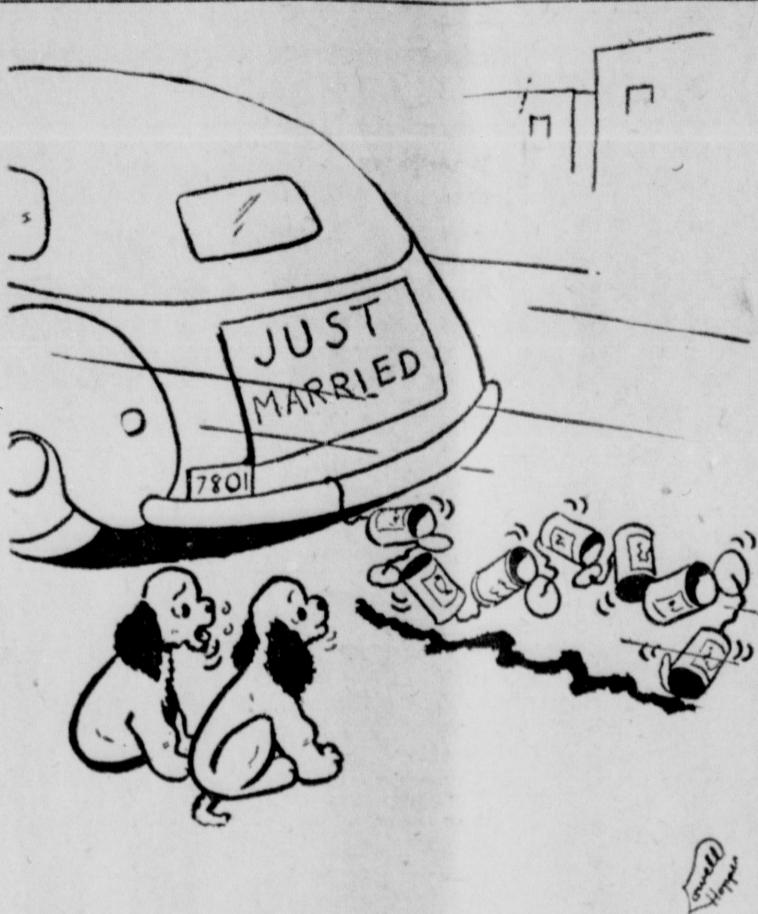
NOTE: Madame Wei and Madame Chiang are the only two women on the executive council of the National People's party.

VANDENBURG AND MacARTHUR

While looking for a table in the senate cafeteria, distinguished Democratic Senator Guy Gillette of Iowa was hailed by Senator Wallace H. White of Maine, acting

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LAFF-A-DAY



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"I know just how it feels!"

DIET AND HEALTH

Treatment of Glands

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.

AN acquaintance stopped me on the street to tell me he did not agree with my remarks about the limited usefulness of the ductless gland extracts in the treatment

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

ment of abnormal children. He has a child that has been under endocrine treatment for four years and is showing quite a little improvement. He says it takes time for these gland extracts to work. The first three years his child was under treatment there wasn't any improvement at all, but during the last year it was marked. When I asked him whether that might not be due to natural growth and maturity, he was sure it wasn't.

I turn for support of my views to the article on ductless gland therapy in the very latest text book of medicine to be published. Different authors write the various chapters, so one may be assured that the man who wrote this one is the best and most experienced in his field.

Three Groups of Patients

Under the heading "What Isn't Endocrinology" he says there are three groups of patients often brought to the endocrinologist who should never be accepted by him and for whom he can do nothing.

First comes the fat boy who is slightly late in development. This patient nine times out of ten is labelled with the endocrine disorder known as Frolich's syndrome, whereas he is just a fat boy, whatever that is. If left alone

he will develop normally and cease to be fat after puberty.

Second is the child who does not well in school. There is a feeling among would-be progressive educators that such a situation demands survey by an endocrinologist. There is only one endocrinologist which leads to mental retardation and that iscretinism, or congenital absence of the thyroid gland. This will respond to thyroid feeding, but to be successful it has to be done during the first few weeks or months of life. And obviously the diagnosis can not be made at this period on the basis of mental retardation because the baby hasn't enough mental life to evaluate clinically.

Delay Is Fatal

And if the parents and doctor wait until the full-blown picture ofcretinism develops—the frog baby, with heavy countenance, protruding lips, thick skin, lack of growth, pot belly, insecure posture, delayed dentation and sluggish reactions—it is too late for thyroid; the damage is done.

The condition should be spotted by the obstetrician or pediatrician during the first weeks of life. One hint for diagnosis is a persistent navel hernia.

Third, loss of hair, whether it be plain baldness or the spotty loss of hair known as alopecia areata. The ductless glands have something to do with certain kinds of hair, but those are cases where the hair never appears, or appears too soon or there is too much hair in the wrong place. They have nothing to do with loss of hair. A bald man will get just as much good from ductless gland treatments as he will from a barber rubbing snake oil in his scalp—which in both instances is no good at all.

Looking Back in Pickaway County

FIVE YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. John H. McDuffie and daughter, Mary Etta, of Sherman, Texas, were guests of Mrs. McDuffie's mother, Mrs. Nelle Phillips, of North Scioto street.

Mt. Sterling Rotarians won the singing contest at the intercity meeting in Lancaster without singing a note, the group remaining silent when asked to sing and the judges awarding the Mt. Sterling men the prize.

Although the state highway department had laid off employees in many parts of the state, there had been no reduction in the force at the Circleville garage.

10 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Martin

observed their fiftieth wedding anniversary January 17 at their home in Circleville township on the Lancaster pike.

Mayor William B. Cady appointed Frank A. Lynch, E. L. Daley, Mrs. Glenn L. Nicker-son, Lee T. Shaner and William McAbee to assist him in obtaining details for construction of a playground for children of the community.

Mrs. Leo Burke, Jr., of Washington C. H. was spending a week with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Rooney, of East Union street.

25 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hoffman of Wayne township purchased the residence property on South Court street of Judge and Mrs. I. N. Abernethy for \$14,000.

Mrs. Charles A. Dresbach of Pickaway township completed and turned over to the Circleville Red Cross unit her fiftieth pair of socks. In addition to knitting socks, Mrs. Dresbach had completed one sweater, one scarf and two helmets.

The United Brethren church purchased the R. R. Bales residence adjoining the church on East Main street, planning to use the residence as a community house and social center for the church.

STARS SAY—

For Tuesday, January 18

ACCORDING to the lunar transits, this is a day which should jump ahead with lightning speed and progress, under the impetus of quick thinking, well-laid plans and wisely organized schedules. This should be imperative in a gesture of major significance in order to attain very high and ambitious objectives. In such ventures the friendliness and substantial sup-

Yankee Senorita

BY LORENA CARLETON

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CHAPTER TWENTY-TWO

"SEE!" MALLORY exclaimed to her maid. "Montecito did mean something to me."

Prism gave a low whistle; her eyes were round as those of a Hal-loween owl. "I'll say! Think of them being here in this very buildin'. Why, they could be right next door, even." A savage wrath spread over her face. "When we goin' to start in on them baboons, Miss Mallory? What we waitin' for?"

"For my knees to stop knocking together." She got out of bed and slipped into the robe her maid was holding. "Every time I'm feeling fairly happy something reminds me of those two cold-faced crooks and my heart starts doing a boom-boom."

"Mine's clickin' overtime, too. Not so much for fear, Miss Mallory, as it is for action. What we waitin' for?" she asked again.

"I want to talk to Richard Blythe first."

"Huff!" snorted Prism. "The invisible man. Why you got to pay any attention to him? Is he bigger than me?"

The girl picked up a glass of orange juice from a tray on her dressing table. It hid her smile. "He isn't as big." She said a few seconds later. "But that isn't the point, Prism. We have to use stratagem."

"What's that?"

"It's being capable of outwitting the other fellow."

"Sounds o. k.," granted the maid.

"If they don't outwit first." She frowned. "What if that invisible man stays invisible for two or three weeks like that woman said? What then? That's a mighty long time to dilly-dally. Me, I'd rather get goin' with the 'forage' myself."

"I guess you mean foray, Prism." She sat down on the dressing table bench and lifted a silver lid from a dish of scrambled eggs. "No, we'll try to hold out until Richard Blythe gets back in town. Meanwhile we'll be very careful. I'll not show myself without either you or Armando. And if I do run into the men I'll be dumb as I planned to be when I saw them, again." A slight shudder shook her. "Of course I'd prefer not to see them until I have talked with Richard Blythe."

"Seems you're mighty sold on a guy not to know more than just sittin' across from him in the airplane. What makes him he's so wonderful?"

Mallory had expected to be shoved into a booth with Latham and Roberts into English, receiving Mallory's answers, putting those back into swift Spanish. Mallory knew now why the Mexican girl was along. Latham and Roberts could have handled the translations, but theirs would have been halting. Naturally, Malluela's Spanish was not halting. Nor was her English; it fairly winged from her mouth.

The questions were not the same "How do you like Mexico, Miss Baker?" type. They were so technical that the singer felt as if she were taking an examination, one that she must not fail. Inwardly, a sly remark amused her. She was being "put on the spot." It seemed the Mexican reporters hoped to discredit her. They purposefully were sporting their own knowledge, using it to hint to the great Mallory Baker that she need not get on any high horse with them.

There was one redeeming feature to the situation, the man at Mallory's right, even though she had had no time for him. She took time now. The smile she gave him was loaded with sweetness. Intentionally.

He smiled back. "More coffee?" His English was slow, Latin-accented. "Caw-fay," he had offered her. The affable nod with which she accepted delighted him. "I am Charlie," he said.

"Oh!" Mallory said softly. "Carlos."

The man's tone was fervent. "How beauty you say my name."

Mallory did not answer aloud. "Charlie—Carlos—I didn't know it until now. But you are the reason I came down here."

(To Be Continued)

GRAB BAG

One-Minute Test

- From what country does the story of Aladdin come?
- From what country does Pinocchio come?
- What nationality was Heidi?

Words of Wisdom

A God all mercy, were a God unjust—Young.

Hints on Etiquette

Don't talk about yourself too much. Give the "I" a rest. Con-

centrate on other people. It is in much better taste.

Today's Horoscope

The person who has a birthday today has a great deal of reserve power which should be used more often to your better advantage. You are cautious, yet somewhat inclined to suspicion. You want to love and be loved in return, but you seem unable to open your heart to your friends or your family. Benefits from aged relatives.

One-Minute Test Answers

- Arabia.
- Italy.
- Switzerland.

probably feminine, are in the offing; property is well signified

—: Social Happenings - Personals - News of Interest to Women :—

Mrs. Kirkpatrick Talks To Child Study Club

Group Meets At Home of Mrs. Pickens

SOCIAL CALENDAR

TUESDAY

D. A. R., HOME MRS. GEORGE H. Spangler, East Union street, Tuesday at 8 p. m.

D. U. V. POST ROOM, MEMORIAL hall, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

NEBRASKA GRANGE, THE grange hall, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

LOGAN ELM GRANGE, PICKAWAY school auditorium, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

PHILATHEA CLUB, HOME Mrs. Herschel Hinton, Pickaway township, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

SCIOTO GRANGE, COMMERCIAL Point school, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

PRESBY-WEDS, PRESBYTERIAN church, Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

THURSDAY

WILLING WORKERS' CLASS, home Mrs. Walter Richards, Washington township, Thursday at 2 p. m.

PYTHIAN SISTERS, PYTHIAN castle, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

PICKAWAY P.T.A. PICKA-school, Thursday at 8 p. m.

PAST MATRONS' CIRCLE, home Mrs. Irene Newton, 456 North Court street, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

WILLIAMS PORT P.T.A. school, Thursday at 8 p. m.

ADVISORY COUNCIL 4, HOME Harry Kern, Jackson township, Thursday at 8 p. m.

FRIDAY

MAGIC SEWING CLUB, HOME Mrs. Roger Lozier, East High street, Friday at 8 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S Social club, church social room, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

HARPER BIBLE CLASS, HOME Charles Kirkpatrick, North Pickaway street, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

LUTHER LEAGUE AND LADIES' societies of Christ Lutheran church, home Harry Kern, Jackson township, Friday at 7 p. m.

MONDAY

MONDAY CLUB, THE CLUB room, Memorial hall, Monday at 8 p. m.

Twenty-seven members were present Monday at the meeting of the Sorosis club at the home of Mrs. S. B. Metzger, of Williamsport, president of the organization. Mrs. Wells Wilson of near Washington C. H. and Mrs. Howard Nessell of that city and Mrs. Charles Holland of London were members coming from a distance.

Mrs. Metzger conducted the business hour and received reports of Mrs. Fred Tipton, secretary; Mrs. W. D. Heiskell, treasurer, and Miss Twila West, chairman of sales tax stamp collection.

The club agreed to sponsor a Girl Scout troop in Williamsport.

Mrs. Metzger named Mrs. Russell Wardell, chairman, and Mrs. Edwin Frazier and Mrs. Wendell Boyer as members of a nominating committee to report a new slate of officers at the February session.

Mrs. Lee Luellen, program chairman, presented a splendid program on "India" in continuation of the club's study on Allied Countries.

The next session, February 21, will be at the home of Mrs. Charles Schleich.

** Surprise Party **

Mrs. Arthur England was honored at a birthday surprise party Monday at her home on South Pickaway street. Friends at the affair were the Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Ferguson, the Rev. and Mrs. Ross Hayslip and son, Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Stonerock, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Clark and daughters, Ellen and Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman England and daughter, Yvonne, Mrs. Ray Leonard, Miss Babe Giffen of Circleville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Day and son, Paul, of Chillicothe, and Mr. and Mrs. England and son, Clyde, of the home.

Mrs. England received many gifts. A dessert lunch was served at the close of the informal affair.

** Girl Scouts **

Margaret Moogan, field executive in Girl Scouting, will be guest speaker at a meeting for the promotion of Girl Scout work in Pickaway county to be Wednesday at 8 p. m. in Memorial hall. Her talk will be a feature of the interesting program. The session is open to the public.

Thousands and thousands of girls in the United States are waiting to join the Girl Scouts. They are eager to serve their country. But before they can join, more troops must be organized, new advisers found, new leaders enlisted. Without the help of more adult volunteers, it will be impossible to give Girl Scout training to all the girls who are asking for it.

Circleville now has two Girl Scout troops, and within the last two weeks, two organizations, Mrs. Marion's Sunday School class of the Methodist church and Phi Beta Psi sorority, have taken steps to further scouting in the community. Members of Mrs. Marion's class have agreed to sponsor a new Girl Scout troop, Miss Jayne Metzger and Miss Edith Schlech volunteering as leaders. Arrangements have been made by Phi Beta Psi members to assist Miss Elizabeth Tolbert with her duties as leader of one of the troops al-

An Expectation Suit



A SUIT which is warm and light, and over which a topcoat slips easily, is as good a choice as any for the lady-in-waiting for the family heir.

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Joint Meeting

Luther league and Ladies' society of Christ Lutheran church will have a combined meeting Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kern, Jackson township. A covered dish dinner will be served at 7 p. m. All members of the congregation are invited.

Personals

Mrs. Turney Ross, who has been in the East visiting her husband, now in training at Fort Myer, Va., has returned home after a stay of more than a week at Washington, D. C.

Miss Evelyn Gatrell of Dayton spent the week end in Circleville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gatrell, East Mound street.

Mrs. Carl Sterne and son of Columbus are guests of her mother, Mrs. L. J. Hall, of East High street.

Mrs. John Wolford of Pickaway township visited friends in Circleville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Parks of near Mt. Sterling were Monday business visitors in Circleville.

Mrs. Ferne Imler and daughter, Dorothy, of Kansas City, Mo., are staying at the Charles Imler home, East Main street, while visiting Mr. Imler who is a patient in Berger hospital.

** Social Hour Club **

Social Hour club of the Five Points Methodist church met recently for the regular session at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sheets and family. Mrs. Helen Phillips had charge of the devotions followed by prayer by the Rev. S. N. Root. After the business meeting, the group exchanged mystery-sister gifts. Delightful refreshments were served to 40 members and guests.

** Two Birthdays Observed **

Ten were present when Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mallory of Duvall entertained in honor of their sons, Larry and Gary, on their birthday anniversaries. Larry is one year old and Gary, two.

An afternoon of music and informal visiting were enjoyed, supper being served at 6 p. m. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Gail Barthelmas and sons, Teddy and Larry, Mrs. Tom Conrad and children, Dianne and Micky, of Circleville; Mr. and Mrs. Sterile Wells of Columbus; Gail List of Greencastle and members of the family of the home.

** Covered Dish Supper **

A pleasant evening was passed Sunday by friends of the Rev. and Mrs. D. V. Whitenack at their home in Clarksburg. Following a delightful covered dish supper, the evening was spent in games and informal visiting. Those present were Mrs. Burch Hatters of Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collett, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dowden, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rittering and sons, Wheeler and Marvin; Mr. and Mrs. Ward Cross and children, Margaret, Olive, Mary and Edward of the Clarksburg vicinity.

** Class Banquet **

Girls of the eighth grade home economics class of Circleville high school entertained at a banquet, January 12, under the supervision of Miss Ethel Foden, home economic instructor of the school.

Miss Florence Brown, Mrs. Alice Brown, Miss Nellie Swackhamer and Miss Marjorie Vorhees were honored guests.

** Walnut Needle Club **

The meeting of the Walnut Needle club arranged for Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. C. Nothstine, Walnut township, has been postponed for one week.

** Williamsport P.T.A. **

Williamsport Parent-Teacher association will meet Thursday at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. William Brown will be program

ATLANTA

Wednesday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Evans were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Warner of Williamsport, Miss Leah Binn, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Binn and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Evans and son.

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Mr. Elmer Hagedy and her father John Margraf were Friday business visitors in Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright and daughters Evelyn and Sandra.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willis visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Russell Minser of Chillicothe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris Sr. and daughter Joan, Miss Jean Graham and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris Jr. and son were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stephenson and daughters of near New Holland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Mickey and daughters Doris and Lois and son Donald of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Drake of Circleville, Marvin Johnson of Dayton, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drake and daughter Marilyn and sons Dean and Joe were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Drake and Mr. and Mrs. John Drake and family of Laurelvile.

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** Covered Dish Supper **

A pleasant evening was passed Sunday by friends of the Rev. and Mrs. D. V. Whitenack at their home in Clarksburg. Following a delightful covered dish supper, the evening was spent in games and informal visiting. Those present were Mrs. Burch Hatters of Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collett, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dowden, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Carter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rittering and sons, Wheeler and Marvin; Mr. and Mrs. Ward Cross and children, Margaret, Olive, Mary and Edward of the Clarksburg vicinity.

** Class Banquet **

Girls of the eighth grade home economics class of Circleville high school entertained at a banquet, January 12, under the supervision of Miss Ethel Foden, home economic instructor of the school.

Miss Florence Brown, Mrs. Alice Brown, Miss Nellie Swackhamer and Miss Marjorie Vorhees were honored guests.

** Walnut Needle Club **

The meeting of the Walnut Needle club arranged for Wednesday at the home of Mrs. W. C. Nothstine, Walnut township, has been postponed for one week.

** Williamsport P.T.A. **

Williamsport Parent-Teacher association will meet Thursday at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. William Brown will be program

Wartime Policies Cause Designers To Call On Their Finest Talents

America's fashion designers cannot be outdone, and one need to look only at some of the work done this year in preparation for Easter. Despite wartime restrictions on raw material, the designers this year have added a dash of ingenuity and have come up with something entirely new.

Circleville women are urged to take note of some of the work done.

Shoes—leather models in which American designers excelled—are rationed. But there's plenty of wood, and, combined with imagination, it forms a new fashion highlight—costume shoes. The wooden platform sole fits the foot. It's held on

other ways are found to flatter the figure while we are getting used to a new proportion. Wide sash bands of taffeta ending in big bows and long floating ends are superimposed at the hipline of sheath dresses. Square pockets give hipline interest on others.

** STOUTSVILLE **

Joanne and Margaret Frease of Columbus spent from Wednesday until Saturday with their grandmother, Mrs. Anna Frease, and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Christy. They accompanied their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Frease, home after they were New Year's dinner guests at the Frease and Christy home.

** STOUTSVILLE **

Mrs. Minnie Fausnaugh has returned home after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Kelly and family, and other relatives.

** STOUTSVILLE **

Wayne Rife and sister, Doris Lee, of Columbus, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rife.

** STOUTSVILLE **

6 Dinner Knives 6 Dinner Forks

at

\$35.90

(Tax included)

This Week Only, at—

Brunner's

119 W. MAIN ST.

** STOUTSVILLE **

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CORONA PORTABLE typewriter. Phone 441.

'29 FORD coupe. Inquire 424 E. Mill St.

1 1/2 VOLT PHILCO battery radio, uses one power pack, \$29.95. Pettit's.

ELECTRIC WASHING machine. Omer Sowards, 708 Clinton St.

GULBRANSON baby grand piano, excellent condition. Phone 499.

SELL POULTRY, eggs and cream to Steele's Produce.

12 RATS killed with Schuttles Rat Killer. Kochheimer Hdwe.

BABY CHICKS

If you want to be sure to get Improved, Blood-Tested Baby Chicks when you want them, then order them now.

Southern Ohio Hatchery
120 W. WATER ST. PHONE 55

CROMAN'S CHICKS

Are U. S. Approved and Pullorum Tested. We suggest you order early.

Croman's Poultry Farm
Phone 1834 or 166

Wanted to Buy

CASH paid for old books, write David Webb, Chillicothe.

35 M. M. double frame camera for soldier overseas. Phone 503. Williamsport ex. Reverse charge.

4-DRAWER steel filing cabinet (legal size); studio couch with springs; chifferobe; child's pre-war wagon. Mrs. K. Shook, 310 Watt St. Phone 132.

ARE YOU SELLING your radio, stove or furniture? If so, call 135 day or evening.

SAVE PAPER
We are now buying all
grades of
WASTE PAPER

Circleville Iron & Metal Co.
Phone 3 Mill and Clinton Sts.

Lost

MOTHER OF PEARL necklace with air corps insignia. Reward. Call 61.



SALLY'S SALLIES

Registered U. S. Patent Office.

"You don't have to tell me what you did while I was away, Bill; the neighbors have attended to that."

Real Estate for Sale

8-ROOM HOME — 951 S. Pickaway St., good condition, large lot, \$2900. MACK D. PARRETT, Realtor

70 ACRES, 12 miles east of Circleville, half mile from State Route, school bus, telephone, mail route. Good 6-room house, slate roof, electricity, water system, good basement, closed porch, built-in cupboard in kitchen. Fair barn, good roof, double garage, steel corn crib, small orchard, well fenced, water in every field. Farm now in grass. Immediate possession. Priced to sell. Call 1920.

81-ACRE stock farm, 5-room frame dwelling with slate roof, good barn, 60x30, with slate roof, shed attached and other outbuildings located near a village, price \$2600; 72-acre general purpose farm with 6-room brick dwelling with electricity, good barn, possession at once, terms to suit purchaser; 200-acre stock and grain farm, good improvements. Priced low for quick sale, possession given March 1; a frame duplex with baths and garage, price \$5000; and several other modern homes. W. C. Morris, 219 S. Court St. Phones 234 or 162.

ALL KINDS of job welding and radiator repair work. Leist Welding Co., 119-121 S. Court Street.

C. R. VAN FLEET, Singer Sewing Machine Company's only authorized representative, will be in Circleville every Tuesday. He is prepared to repair ANY MAKE sewing machine or vacuum cleaner. Repair work may be left at Griffith & Martin, W. Main St. For information call 1532.

V. M. DILTZ
GRADUATED-LICENSED AUCTIONEER

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Office at Fairmonts—130 W. Main St. Telephone 475

RATES—Straight 1% up to \$1000
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Financial

MONEY LOANED on easy terms to buy, build or repair homes or for personal needs. Principal reduced each three months. Payments received weekly or monthly. The Scioto Building and Loan Co.

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WANTED — Riders to Curtiss-Wright, leaving Circleville 2:45 p.m. Call 1186. Men preferred.

Business Notices

Notice of Hearing of Parole

Case No. 5022, No. 80301—Steve Burgoon, a prisoner now confined in the Local Prison at Marion, Ohio, admitted from Pickaway County, convicted January 1942 of the crime of Non-support and serving a sentence of 10 to 15 years, to be paroled on January 1944, the Ohio Pardon and Parole Commission, on or after March 1, 1944.

OHIO PARDON AND PAROLE COMMISSION
By A. K. CHENOWETH, Parole and Record Clerk.

CIRCLEVILLE LUMBER CO.
150 Edison Avenue Phone 269

DAIRY PRODUCTS DEALERS

PICKAWAY DAIRY ASSN.
Pickaway Butter Phone 28

Public Sales

No charge for publication of sales under this heading where regular newspaper space has been denied in the Herald. Set your date early and get the benefit of this extra publication.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 19
On the Charles C. French farm one and one-half miles west of Jefferson, on the Jeffersonville-Bellefontaine road, beginning at 11 o'clock, Darrel C. French, Walter Bumgarner, auctioneer.

THURSDAY, JAN. 20
Eight miles south of Washington C. H., near Route 70 on Gormley road, beginning at 10:30. Charles Drough, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, JAN. 21
On SR 38 1/2 miles north of Bloomingburg, four miles south of Seward, beginning at 11 o'clock. Leon Chatten, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 26
At farm 1/2 mile north of Grange Hall, eight miles southwest of Mt. Sterling, seven miles south from end of Clark's Run road, on Yankee town line, beginning at 12 noon. Glen Keller, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, JAN. 28
On C. C. French farm, formerly the Albright farm, one mile southwest of Five Points, one mile south of SE 55, one mile east of Mt. Sterling, 11/2 miles north of New Holland, beginning at 10:30 a.m. Darrel C. French, Executor of estate of C. C. French, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

TUESDAY, FEB. 8
One mile northeast Circleville on RT. 22 on Barnhart Farm, beginning at 12 noon. John D. Robinson, C. G. Chalfin, auctioneer.

JOE LOUIS WILL START TOUR OF CAMPS, CITIES

NEW YORK, Jan. 18—Heavyweight Champion Sgt. Joe Louis will follow up his current boxing exhibition tour of army camps with a refereeing tour starting at Baltimore January 24.

The champ, on furlough, has insisted that part of the gate receipts at each show in which he appears must benefit some war charity. Besides the Baltimore appearance, others arranged so far:

Portland, Me., January 25; Boston, January 26; Hartford, Conn., January 27; New Britain, Conn., January 28; Minneapolis, February 1; Des Moines, February 2; Springfield, O., February 7; Dayton, February 8; Zanesville, O., February 9; Columbus, February 10; and Cincinnati, February 11.

Tentative bookings are Omaha, Neb., February 3, and Milwaukee, February 4.

BATHTUB DEBATE

Manufacturers of concrete bathtubs have come to town, determined to wash their tubs' reputation clean, as a result of findings by WFB and the Public Health Service.

The manufacturers are up in arms over a preliminary finding of Public Health that "the resistance of concrete tubs to bacterial growth is inadequate." Makers of the tubs, organized under the Cast Stone Institute, declare that somebody brought a third-rate concrete casting to Public Health, which reported to WFB that it was difficult to clean off the germs.

But the latest models of concrete tubs are made of dense concrete, with a surface like a slab of marble. The Bureau of Standards is getting out specifications which Federal Housing Administration is ready to accept. In fact, Earl W. Marcy, bathtub expert for Federal Housing, says, "I would use one of these tubs in my own home."

As soon as the smirch has been washed off concrete's reputation, such tubs may relieve the terrific demand for cast iron tubs.

JOB OF LISTING CASUALTIES

Most tragic job in Washington is that of Blanche Belligan, who sits all day at a desk in the War Department, marking casualty messages and sorting them into four piles.

It is her unfortunate task to underscore one word in each message—"killed," "wounded," "prisoner" or "missing." Then she prepares long lists for release to the press. The piles of messages on her desk fluctuate with the progress of the war. Just after the landing at Salerno, the piles were noticeably higher, and her red pencil worked overtime.

Different areas specialize in different types of casualties. Messages from the Eighth Air Force in England are mostly "missing."

The flyer just didn't get back to base, and nobody knows what happened to him.

"Sometimes," says Miss Belligan, "I get word that some 'missings' are 'prisoners', or maybe that they have been picked up by our side. Then, if I've already made up my lists, I do the whole job over. And I am never so glad to do anything. It's like saving People's work."

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Plans Outlined for Establishment of Youth Canteen.

CAMPAIGN TO BE STAGED TO OBTAIN FUNDS

Downtown Quarters Will Be Open To City And County Youths

SERVICE CLUB PROJECT

Paid Supervisor, Probably Woman, To Be Named By Committee

First steps toward organization of a Youth Canteen for Circleville and Pickaway county youngsters to enjoy recreation, entertainment and fellowship were taken Monday evening when a committee representing various Circleville service clubs met in offices of the Ralston Purina company.

The plan outlined by persons attending the meeting is to obtain suitable quarters in the downtown district. A paid supervisor will be employed, probably a woman, a juke box will be provided for dancing, and candy, soft drinks and sandwiches will be made available. The Canteen would be for city and county youngsters.

The committee which conferred Monday evening named Hal Dean, representing the Kiwanis club, as chairman.

Committees Named

Committees appointed included: Finance: Ray Alter, Paul Johnson, Mack Parrett and Miss Rose Good.

Location: Mack Parrett, Tom Armstrong, Ned Stout and Judson Laman.

Planning Committee to determine hours of operation, days to remain open and to decide on a supervisor: Mrs. Barton Deming, Mrs. Tom Renick, Mrs. Glen Geib and Miss Margaret Rooney.

Housing Committee: Virgil Cress, Tom Armstrong, Ned Stout, Glen McCoy and Hal Dean.

First step in the Youth Canteen program will be a financial drive in which money will be sought to start the undertaking on its way. Mr. Alter has called his financial committee to meet Wednesday morning in order to get a campaign worked out. Contributions will be sought from organizations and from individuals, several members of the committee which met Monday already having promises from several townspersons and city civic organizations that money will be made available.

Need Stressed

The need for the Youth Canteen has been stressed by numerous organizations, but the action taken Monday evening was the first definite move toward getting the program in operation. Members of the committee declared that many problems have not yet been worked out.

The amount of money to be sought in the financial drive is indefinite, the committee declaring that a minimum of \$1,500 will be needed, with a possibility that much more than that will be required to properly organize the project.

That the undertaking will have the support of the entire city is almost certain, since it has been realized for a long while that Circleville does not have a satisfactory place for its younger folk to gather. With proper supervision, the committee believes that the Youth Canteen will be the answer to this problem.

The general committee will meet next Monday evening to discuss progress made during the week in promotion of the Youth Canteen.

Service organizations represented at the Monday confab were Rotary, by Mr. Alter and Paul Johnson; Kiwanis, by Mr. Dean and Mr. Cress; Chamber of Commerce, by Mr. Parrett; Business and Professional Women, by Miss Good; Monday club, by Mrs. Deming and Miss Rooney; Child Conservation League, by Mrs. Renick and Mrs. Geib; Hi-Y club, by Mr. Armstrong and Ned Stout; Stooge Club, by Mr. Cress and Glen McCoy, and Junior Chamber of Commerce, by Mr. Lanman and Mr. Dean.

COUNTY COURTHOUSE SCENE OF MUCH ACTIVITY

Pickaway county courthouse is a beehive of activity, with a steady stream of persons moving in and out of the building buying dog licenses and paying taxes.

Thursday is the last day dog tags can be bought without paying penalty. After Thursday a fee of \$1 will be charged in addition to the regular price.

More than 1,700 persons had bought tags Tuesday, with a total sale of 3,000 expected.

The office of Treasurer R. G. Colville was kept busy all day Monday with persons settling tax obligations.

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

ONE MINUTE PULPIT

His roots shall be dried up beneath, and above shall his branch be cut off.—Job 17:16.

Mrs. Ellen Root of 121 West Ohio street and Miss Myrtle Root, 148 West Main street, returned Monday from Columbus where they had been called by the serious illness of Mrs. Root's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Berry. While in Columbus, they called on Mrs. Root's granddaughter, Mrs. Robert Nichols, and great-granddaughter, Judith Elaine Nichols, at Mt. Carmel hospital. The baby was born January 7.

Mrs. Helen Black Anderson of Circleville Route 4, a patient in Berger hospital for medical treatment, was removed home Monday. Her condition is much improved. Her sister, Miss Anna Black, also of Circleville Route 4, remains in the hospital.

There will be a games party at the Elks club on Wednesday evening, starting at 8:30. The public is invited.

—ad.

Mrs. Ralph Hunt of East Ohio street was returned home Tuesday from St. Anthony's hospital, Columbus, where she has been under treatment since January 4.

Former Sheriff Tom Bell, Watt street, observed his eighty-seventh birthday anniversary Tuesday. Mr. Bell is enjoying good health.

Regular meeting of Pickaway Lodge No. 23 F & A M work in M. M. Wednesday, January 19th, 1944. Brethren regularly constituted lodges welcome. —ad.

Trinity Lutheran Brotherhood meeting Thursday evening will be featured by an "intellectual baseball game". Members of the brotherhood will compete with a team of teachers of city and county schools who live in Circleville.

William M. Beavers, 420 South Court street, was taken to White Cross hospital, Columbus, Monday, for medical treatment. Mr. Beavers has been ill for the last several days, pneumonia threatening to develop.

Methodist Men's brotherhood is planning its first meeting in several months Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. The meeting will follow a dinner. Alfred Lee is chairman of the program committee.

The complete Pickaway county War Price and Rationing board will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in the offices, West High street, to consider selection of a new chief clerk to succeed Elmer Stebleton.

Elks lodge members will gather at 6:30 Tuesday evening in the lodge home for a turkey dinner, initiation of candidates and a floor show. Past Exalted rulers' night will be observed with all chairs to be filled during the initiation by past officers of the lodge.

Friends and relatives share \$10,000 estate

—ad.

Elba F. Roebuck—Private funeral Wednesday at 2 p. m. at home, West Franklin street; Rev. Carl Kennedy officiating; burial service, also private, in Forest cemetery.

Jeremiah Ziska—Funeral Wednesday 9 a. m. in St. Joseph's Catholic church; Rev. Fr. Edward Reid officiating; recitation of Rosary at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in Defenbaugh funeral home; burial St. Joseph's cemetery.

—ad.

Timmons Gains AIR MEDAL FOR PACIFIC RAIDS

The Air Medal awarded recently to Sergeant Robert E. Timmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Timmons of near Fox Postoffice, by the War department was earned by the flyer during three important Pacific theatre of war raids.

Announcement that the flyer had received the medal was made two weeks ago, but the youth's parents had no definite knowledge at that time concerning the manner in which their son earned his honor.

The War office said Tuesday that Timmons is a member of the Seventh army air force bomber command. His outfit received Air Medals for participating in long-range bombing of the Marshall Islands, Nauru Islands and earlier the Gilbert Islands. The Seventh air force helped to soften up Tarawa before the costly Marine invasion there.

Presentation of the Air Medals to the members of the organization was made by Major General Willis H. Hale, commander of the Seventh air force.

Timmons, a Pickaway county draftee, was one of 10 Ohioans to receive the Air Medal, while three other Ohioans earned the oak leaf cluster for their part in the raids.

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WAYNE BROWN IN RACE FOR COMMISSIONER

First non-officeholding candidate to toss his hat into the Pickaway county political ring for the 1944 primary is Wayne Brown of Madison township. Mr. Brown obtained a nominating petition Monday from the board of elections for the Democratic nomination for county commissioner.

Mr. Brown informed the board he intended to enter the race.

The candidate is only the third to definitely announce candidacy. Herbert E. Louis of New Holland, representative in the general assembly, let it be known two weeks ago at the Township Trustees' association meeting that he would run for his second term.

Henry T. McCrady, Circleville Democrat who is in his first term as county engineer, is also an unopposed candidate for his second term.

McCrady has obtained his petition and has put it into circulation. Several other officeholders have taken out petitions, but none has made a formal announcement, waiting for developments.

Deadline for filing nominating petitions is March 9, the primary being 60 days from that date.

FUGITIVE HITS BRIDGE, LEAVES STOLEN AUTO

A West Virginia parole violator who abandoned a stolen automobile on Route 104 at the Darby creek bridge was being sought through central Ohio Tuesday, although local authorities believe he has already made a getaway. The man might have suffered injury, according to Deputy Sheriff Vern Pontious, after crashing the stolen car into the bridge over the creek at Dewey Park.

Sheriff's office received a call Monday that a car which had been in an accident was standing at the south entrance to the bridge. Investigation by Pontious showed the car to be a 1941 Nash coupe.

The auto had hit the bridge at one end, glanced against the side of the bridge in about the middle and then struck the other end as it left the bridge. The car was badly damaged, and was towed to the Stout garage.

Little damage was done to the bridge.

Pontious checked with the highway patrol and found that the car had been stolen in Charleston, W. Va., January 9. The tags on the vehicle had been issued for another auto.

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES SHARE \$10,000 ESTATE

Will of the late Rachel Linebaugh of Darby township leaves her estate to relatives and friends. The property is valued at \$10,000 including 100 acres of land in Darby township and a residential property in Derby. Richard Simkins of Circleville is executor.

Bequests include \$100 to Bertie Hedges of Bellefontaine and Flora Stoner of Lucas county, and one-third interests in the balance of the property to Charles Poulson of Grove City, Carlina Harlor of Columbus and Lenora Sheppard of Briggdale and Gladys Downs of Darby township, the latter two dividing a one-third share.

The will was admitted to probate Monday by Judge Lemuel B. Weldon.

DARBYVILLE

Mrs. Wilda Fullen spent Wednesday at her husband, Private John Fullen, of Fort Thomas, Kentucky.

Pearl Messmore and Virgil Collier are enjoying their nine-day boot training furloughs at their respective homes.

Miss Sara Luray, third and fourth grade teacher is now making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Neff and family.

Mrs. Wilda Fullen, Mrs. Faye Slagle and Mrs. Leonard Massie and son spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ernest Ezly of Columbus.

Ed Lutz spent Thursday evening at the Leroy Arter home.

Eldon Harmon was the Monday night guest at the Guy Mowery home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Heigle spent New Year's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Baker in Logan.

Several of the community are on the sick list with flu including Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Neff, Mrs. Pauline Massie, Kenneth Shad and Mrs. Mento Thomas.

Private Alfred Waites was called home from camp because his son, Loren, is ill with pneumonia.

It's always a bad experience, when you have to go to the doctor, to have to pay for it. That's why we have a special plan for you.

Want to Feel Younger, More Vim?

AT FIRST SIGN OF A COLD USE 666 666 TABLETS SALVE, NOSE DROPS

OHIO DIVISION'S BATTLE TACTICS PROVING FINEST

Operations Of 37th Gaining Much Commendation From War Department

OBSERVERS ARE QUOTED

Sound System Of Attack More Successful Than Japs Suicidal Acts

Battle-wise Ohio infantrymen in the southwest Pacific, including many Circleville and Pickaway county men who have been in service since October, 1940, have proved conclusively that sound battle tactics excel over unorthodox guerrilla warfare.

This statement was made Monday by the War department.

Military observers who watched the 37th infantry (Buckeye) division in action on Bougainville island report that despite the demoralizing effect of Jap snipers and outlandish enemy forays timed to distract the Americans, the sound battle tactics excel over unorthodox guerrilla warfare.

Preparation Lacking

Japanese military tactics on the other hand, the report stated, lack careful preparation and are further handicapped by limited quantities of mechanical equipment.

"Army tacticians readily admit to the skill of the Jap in throwing up strong defensive positions, constructing deadly pill boxes and fox-holes of whatever material is immediately at hand," the report continued.

"But on the offensive, he is more apt to stage a wild, suicidal rush in inadequate strength than to map out and attempt to execute a sustained drive. Such tactics have resulted in tremendously heavy casualties."

The report cited a furious action on Bougainville last November 7 when U. S. artillery and infantry men killed 1,149 Japanese as two enemy forces attempted to encircle the American units.

The infantry-artillery combat team is considered to have no peer in jungle fighting, the report said.

Foot soldiers uncover an enemy bivouac area and artillery fire hits the target with 105 and 155-mm shells to pave the way for infantry attacks.

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Churchill In London, Resumes War Direction

CHEERS RING IN
COMMONS FOR
PRIME MINISTERNo Relief Desired From
Official Burdens Of
National Leadership

RECOVERY IS COMPLETE

Parliament Told Talk On
Fight Progress Planned
For Near Future

LONDON, Jan. 18—Prime Minister Winston Churchill, again the picture of health after his critical illness with pneumonia, returned from the Mediterranean today and immediately resumed direction of the British war effort.

Within an hour and a half of the time he stepped from his special train in London, Churchill was before a cheering house of commons assuring members that he expected no relief from some of the official burdens he had been bearing since 1940.

Even before he arrived at parliament, shortly before noon, he had been told of invasion preparations and urgent matters of state by members of his cabinet who met him at the station.

He was asked in commons what steps had been taken to shift from him some of his duties, because of his serious illness, his second siege with pneumonia with a year.

"I am obliged to you for your solicitude," Churchill responded, "but I have no changes to propose at present in my routine."

When Comdr. Oliver Locker-Lampson proposed a toast to the prime minister, he replied with a typical Churchill twinkle in the eye: "It's very early in the morning."

To Discuss War

Asked if he could make any statement on the Allied progress in Italy, he replied that he would like to speak to commons in the near future about the general progress of the war, but would ask some latitude about the actual date.

Members of parliament greeted the prime minister with terrific enthusiasm when he made his unexpected appearance almost immediately on his return to London from the Mediterranean, where he recuperated from the grave illness that laid him low following the epic Teheran and Cairo conferences.

Churchill was accompanied back to England by his wife, who flew to his bedside in the Mediterranean area when he was stricken, his daughter, Sarah, and Lord Moran.

Greeted at Station

The party reached London at 10 a.m. BST, their arrival semi-private.

The prime minister arrived at the London terminus in a special train, to be greeted by relatives, intimate friends, members of his

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Angel's Wings

CAPITAL FEARS
RUSSIAN STAND
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Startling Moves

HARMONY HOPE HARD HIT

Allies Puzzled By Claim
Britain Has Held Peace
Talks With Huns

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18—A shocked and bewildered diplomatic Washington feared today that Anglo-American political relations with Russia are entering troubled waters.

Moscow was seen rocking the boat of Allied unity by the following two startling moves:

1. Its action in indirectly accusing Great Britain of discussing a separate peace with Germany.

2. Its rejection of the Polish government's proposal to have the United States and Great Britain act as mediators in a negotiated settlement of the boundary dispute between Poland and Russia.

The harmonious political relations which official Washington hoped had been firmly established between the three major Allied powers at the Teheran and Moscow conferences were considered to have received a severe jolt by Moscow's moves.

Parleys Under Way

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18—Congress headed toward a finish battle with President Roosevelt over consumers' subsidies today as a leading senate advocate of a compromise abandoned hope of success.

The issue will first be fought out in the senate banking committee and then on the senate floor.

Predictions of senate passage of the house-approved Commodity Credit Corporation bill banning subsidies—with an inevitable veto by President Roosevelt—were freely made as factions squared away for the fight.

Sen. Wagner (D) N. Y., chairman of the banking committee, called a session for tomorrow. Three members of a subcommittee member, said the administration refused to make concessions with the result there can be no compromise.

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FIRM PROMOTES
THREE, 1800 TO
GO ON STRIKE

BAYONNE, N. J., Jan. 18—Officials of the Tide Water Oil Company had until noon today to postpone a showdown by continuing the Commodity Credit Corporation until February 17 without an anti-subsidy amendment, likewise that laid him low following the epic Teheran and Cairo conferences.

The President wants everything so there can't be any compromise," said Bankhead, a leader in the fight to ban consumer subsidies and roll-backs. "We will have to fight the issue out on the senate floor."

Sen. Ellender (D) La., who led the successful move before the Christmas recess of congress to postpone a showdown by continuing the Commodity Credit Corporation until February 17 without an anti-subsidy amendment, likewise that laid him low following the epic Teheran and Cairo conferences.

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CZASTER RAPS
RUSSIAN LAND
GRAB IN POLAND

BUFFALO, N. Y., Jan. 18—Russia's demands for discard of the treaty of Riga and adherence to the Curzon line were termed "unjust today by Stanley E. Czaster, president of the Polish Union of America.

"I am convinced that no impartial committee would consider Russia's position for a moment," he declared. "It is so patently unjust."

"My feeling is that the United States and Great Britain should be the intermediaries. Any recommendation they would make, I have no doubt, would be scrupulously accepted and observed by Poland."

OUR WEATHER MAN

High Monday, 30.
Year ago, 40.
Low Tuesday, 17.
Year ago, 32.

TEMPERATURES ELSEWHERE

	High	Low
Akron, O.	40	15
Atlanta, Ga.	47	36
Bismarck, N. Dak.	48	14
Buffalo, N. Y.	35	15
Burnett, Calif.	50	44
Chicago, Ill.	45	19
Cincinnati, O.	26	19
Cleveland, O.	41	15
Dayton, O.	39	18
Denver, Colo.	61	23
Detroit, Mich.	33	20
Duluth, Minn.	28	17
Fort Worth, Tex.	64	34
Indianapolis, Ind.	49	9
Kansas City, Mo.	52	22
Louisville, Ky.	49	26
Miami, Fla.	68	52
Minneapolis, Minn.	40	17
New Orleans, La.	62	41
New York, N. Y.	34	19
Oklahoma City, Okla.	54	30
Pittsburgh, Pa.	41	24
Tulsa, Okla.	57	14
Washington, D. C.	40	22

Poland.

TITO WOUNDED?

LONDON, Jan. 18—An unsubstantiated report that Marshal Tito (Josip Broz), Yugoslav partisan leader, was wounded during fighting with Nazi occupation forces in Montenegro was broadcast today by the Cairo radio. There was no confirmation from any responsible source of the dispatch.

Dazed Survivors Sit In Open After Earthquake



SUFFERING from shock, survivors of the earthquake that destroyed San Juan, Argentina, sit dazedly in the open air, above, because near-

ly every building in the city was leveled. Thousands of persons were reported killed as buildings crumbled to the ground.

BYRD PLANS TO
PROBE BUDGETNeed For 108 Billion To
Be Investigated By
Economy Board

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18—Sen. Harry F. Byrd (D) Va., said today his economy committee will thoroughly investigate the need for the 108 billion dollar budget asked by President Roosevelt for the 1944-45 fiscal year.

"I am not ready to say yet what I think of the request but I am bearing in mind that only four departments of government have unexpended balances of nearly 187 billion dollars," Byrd said.

"Some of this money will have to be used to meet commitments already made, some 60 to 80 billions is not obligated."

Byrd listed the War and Navy departments, Shipping administration and the Maritime commission as the four agencies having the huge surpluses. The War department surplus runs close to 119 billions, Navy over 58 billions, Shipping administration over two and a half billions and the Maritime commission almost six and three quarter billions.

With such vast unexpended balances, Byrd indicated there is doubt in the committee about the wisdom of making even greater appropriations which may go unexpended and before congress is assured of the need for any increases.

The Byrd committee has requested the appropriations committee to scan all unexpended balances carefully when the major appropriations measures begin coming up for hearing within the next few weeks.

Investigation will continue regarding the unexpended balances as well as those amounts which are now obligated on a contract basis, with a view toward return-

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100,000 MILE
TIRE FORECAST
BY SCIENTIST

CHICAGO, Jan. 18—Motorists of the post-war period will be able to drive their cars equipped with synthetic rubber tires for 100,000 miles without a puncture, it was predicted today by Dr. Arthur Thomas, former president of the Chrysler Institute of Technology.

Dr. Thomas now is technical adviser to the War Production Board. He declared also in an address to the Associated Fur Industries of Chicago that the problem of an adequate oil supply soon would cease to exist, saying:

"After the war, we can forget the oil of the Far East. In the next 10 years technology, with its swift progress, will be able to supply us with oil for 100 years from Colorado shale alone."

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PELE FOR FUNDS
SOUNDS AS BOND
CAMPAIGN OPENS

The fourteen billion dollar four war loan drive got officially underway today with American government and military leaders appealing for funds to back the 1944 offensives against Germany and Japan.

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NEW NAZI PLANE
DEVELOPED TO
FIGHT BOMBERS

LONDON, Jan. 18—The Germans, desperately trying to combat the mounting Allied air offensive against the Reich, were reported today to have developed a fighter plane which presents a greater threat than the much publicized rocket-firing interceptors.

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Record Fog
Blankets DistrictSingle Accident Reported
As Traffic Slows
To Standstill

Circleville and Pickaway county were blanketed today with one of the heaviest fogs recorded in recent years, traffic being slowed to a standstill and hotel facilities being overcrowded by persons who could drive no farther. Only one traffic accident was reported.

The accident involved Loring Wittich, 111½ West Main street, and the Misses Abbe Mills Clarke and Alice Ada May, of 162 West Union street.

All three were taken to Berger hospital at 1:30 a. m. Tuesday after a collision near South Bloomfield. None of the three was seriously hurt, although all required hospitalization for bruises and abrasions.

The accident was reported by Deputy Sheriff Vern Pontious to

Mal Carrier Billy Betts drove his car to the postoffice Tuesday morning and went over most of his route "on instruments," or so he says. "There just was no way to know where you were," Betts declared. He had difficulty Monday night, also, driving a mile past his home after attending a highway patrol auxiliary meeting in Lancaster. He was one of the scores of local persons who "missed their own gate" Monday night.

The Circleville trio was returning home after attending a concert in Columbus all night rather than brave the fog.

The fog appeared early Monday evening, traffic being slowed to almost a standstill as early as 7:30. The clock in the courthouse tower could not be seen from the post office at 8:30. As the night wore on the fog refused to lift and was as dense at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning as it was in the evening. A fog also prevailed Monday, but was not nearly so intense as that of Monday night and Tuesday morning.

Truckers hauling war materials, coal and steel through Circleville in north-south and east-west directions lined their vehicles along roads entering the city and also placed their outfits along curbs. One coal truck driver enroute to

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BRICKER HEAPS
CRITICISM ON
NEW DEALERS

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 18—The increasing centralization of power in Washington drew the verbal fire today of Gov. John W. Bricker, of Ohio, a candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, as he concluded a political tour of the Lone Star state.

He said:

"Centralization of power in Washington destroys our self-government, destroys the responsibility of the individual citizen and in destroying that responsibility it undermines the very foundation of the public itself."

The Ohio chief executive declared the nation "can only endure on a sound and enlightened public opinion" and admonished that enlightened opinion does not emanate from a people permitted to "hear only one side of an issue."

"When the states and local governments become paralyzed," he added, "the door is open to totalitarianism and every form of demagogery . . ."

Gov. Bricker assailed "any political party . . . that attempts to take unto itself a motto 'win the war'" and declared the time had come for the "patriotic American citizen to say . . . we'll take this government of ours into our own hands."

JERSEY CITY, N. J., Jan. 18—The thief who stole a suitcase from T. L. Paget, of Falls Church, Va., got rid of it rather quickly when he discovered the contents—secret plans for a naval transport. Jersey City police reported today that while they, the FBI and naval intelligence officers were hunting for the thief, Dorothy Fairbanks found the suitcase in her backyard where it had been tossed away. The plans were intact.

TORCH SET TO
VILLAGES IN
WHITE RUSSIABug River Front Aflame
With Great Armored
Force Battles

FRENCH SCORE ADVANCE

Pivot Of German Gustav
Line Falls—Allied Planes
Active In ItalyBy International News Service
German troops were reported in full retreat today in some sectors of upper White Russia, burning villages as they abandoned them before the advance of Soviet forces pressing their thunderous new offensive.

West of Nasva, battlefield dispatches revealed, long stretches along the frozen banks of the Smerdel river are clouded with the smoke of flaming tanks, fired by the fleeing Wehrmacht.

Other Soviet troops were said to be closing in on the important rail junction of Novosokolniki, 250 miles south of long-embattled Leningrad, from the north, threatening that fortress with imminent encirclement.

The Bug river front was aflame too, with mammoth armored force battles in that sector of the lower Ukraine as the Nazis sought desperately to prevent a major breakthrough which would trap vast German

CAPITAL FEARS RUSSIAN STAND MEANS TROUBLE

Moscow Seen As Rocking Boat Of Allied Unity By Startling Moves

(Continued from Page One) cion on Britain merely on the basis of an alleged Cairo rumor.

See Definite Move

Diplomatic and official Washington was certain of only one thing—that there was a definite motive behind publication of the accusation against Britain in the strictly-controlled leading Soviet newspaper.

Among the diplomatic and official "guesses" as to what prompted the Soviet move were the following:

1. A warning to Great Britain and the United States against any deal with the Germans to occupy Germany while the Nazi armies hold the Soviet forces at bay on the eastern front. There have been persistent reports in Sweden and other neutral countries that the Germans might decide to let the Anglo-American armies occupy Germany before the Russians get there in the hope they would be saved from Soviet reprisals. The possibility was seen that Moscow may be fearful something might develop along this line and that Russia would be denied the opportunity of participating in the occupation of Germany.

2. A Soviet slap at the British for giving counsel to the Polish government in London, with whom Russia refuses to resume diplomatic relations.

3. Preparation for some move which the Soviet government may have in mind and which may prove disagreeable to Britain, such as the establishment of a puppet regime in Poland.

Whatever the motive, Washington generally felt the Pravda move was intended in part, at least, to make the Russian people suspicious of the British.

Meanwhile, the American government was awaiting a reply from Moscow to its offer to use its good offices in getting the Soviets and the Poles back on speaking terms. In view of the Soviet rejection of the Polish proposal, it was feared the American offer may prove abortive.

London Puzzled

LONDON, Jan. 18—Allied circles, still puzzled by yesterday's ten-line item in the Moscow newspaper Pravda quoting an alleged rumor of British-German separate peace talks—wholly denied by Britain's foreign office—pondered that pre-invasion bombshell today.

A Reuter News Agency dispatch from Moscow said, meanwhile, that none of the other Moscow papers reproduced Pravda's Cairo rumor today, nor did they refer to the British denial.

London's newspapers were up in arms at the hint carried by the communist party organ, a quasi official publication, attributed to Greek and Yugoslav sources and written by a Pravda correspondent in Cairo.

The Daily Mail bluntly heralded the report as an "insult to the British people."

"It bears all marks of enemy origin," the mail added. "It is astonishing that a responsible newspaper like Pravda should have given it publicity. . . . It must be remarkably ignorant of British national standards."

Slips Through Censor

(Editor's note: There is strict censorship in Cairo, and informed circles expressed wonderment that the dispatch, apparently planted by Nazi sources seeking to sow discontent among the Allies, got through.)

THE OLD HOME TOWN

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BYRD PLANS TO PROBE BUDGET

C. F. BRADBURN, AIR SERGEANT, DIES IN ENGLAND

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ing portions of these large balances to the Treasury," he stated. "The economy surface has merely been scratched."

The committee, in a recent report, pointed out that it is extremely necessary for the federal government to economize, for, while national income has skyrocketed, the per capita debt has quadrupled in four years.

Among the matters the committee wants to go into particularly in connection with budget requests is need of the armed forces for all of the stockpiles, construction and expansion they have asked in the face of contract cancellations and cutbacks of productions running to six billion dollars.

Sergeant Bradburn was stationed at Lockbourne army air base when he and the former Miss Hinkle met. They were married in Ashville and removed shortly after to Stuttgart. Mr. Bradburn was a mess sergeant.

Sergeant Bradburn was a native of Greeneville, Tenn., and had been in military service since August, 1941, when he volunteered.

Had he lived until February 20 he would have been 25 years old.

Authorities at Hamilton field, San Rafael, where the plane was based, said eight men were believed to have been aboard and all were killed but an army sergeant in charge of a crash crew at the scene reported only seven bodies were found in the wreckage.

Firemen reported that Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jacobson, occupants of the house, escaped injury.

The death toll earlier had been aped at eleven by Fire Chief William G. Lupke of Oakland. Confusion immediately after the crash was blamed for the inaccurate count of victims given the fire chief.

Friends pictured Willkie as impressed with Crum's plea that he enter the race in California, where Republican Gov. Earl Warren's decision to run in the primary has caused the pro-Willkie faction considerable concern.

Willkie followers maintain that, in view of Gov. Warren's disavowal of intention to actually run for either president or vice-president, his entry in the primary is designed to block the pledging of California GOP convention delegates to Willkie.

The London Evening Standard quoted a Madrid dispatch, crediting Berlin quarters, as saying the Germans have amassed powerfully equipped forces in the Rhone valley and the plains around Paris. The enemy is said to be ready to rush these troops north or south in the event of invasion, the Nazis believing the Allied assault may come from the North, particularly on the Norwegian or Danish coasts.

The reason was that when he confessed participation in the murder of Martin (Sonny Boy) Quirk, a southside Chicago gambler, he also implicated a half dozen of his former hoodlum friends, several of whom since have been acquitted.

Authorities said Egan undoubtedly feared what might happen to him if he were turned loose, with all of those he named still at large. They said they would accommodate him at the jail for a while, although the state's attorney's office said it was ready to drop charges against him because he had turned state's evidence.

A radio report from Portuguese Laurencio Marques was cited for the belief that the invasion will come within fortnight.

NEW WILD-LIFE AREA

MURRAY, Ky.—The reservoir created by the new Kentucky TVA dam is expected to become one of the greatest wild-life areas in the country. Already a million wild ducks and geese have located in it. Gerald F. Baker, manager of the Kentucky Woodlands National Wild Life Refuge estimated. He explained the reservoir is in the Mississippi "flyway" area, the most important route for south-bound fowl.

Curtiss D. Wilbur, former secretary of the Navy, once referred to the Navy as the "greatest educational institution in the world."

VOTE SURVEY PROBED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18—Secretary of War Stimson revealed today that the War department is making a complete investigation into political surveys made among the troops overseas. Stimson's disclosure was made in a letter to Sen. Theodore Green (D) R. I.

BUY WAR BONDS

TOM GILLILAND QUITS AS CHIEF OF PARK BOARD

Tom O. Gilliland, chairman of the Circleville Park Commission, submitted his resignation Tuesday to Mayor Ben H. Gordon and at the same time urged the mayor to appoint a Park Commission which will "see the necessity and possibilities of this park for the future pleasure of the young people of the community."

Mr. Gordon indicated that since Mr. Gilliland had requested it that he would accept the resignation. Announcement is expected to be made in the next few days of the commission's reorganization. Any reorganization is expected to include two members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce which has taken a leading role in having the Ted Lewis Recreation Center put into condition for recreation for all children of the city and county.

Mr. Gilliland informed the mayor: "My reason for asking to be relieved of this job is not that it takes too much time or work, but because I feel the job should be given to a younger man who is participating in sports that the park provides, or has a family of children coming on that will use the playground."

"I am sure that a man who will use the ball diamond for his recreation will be more aggressive in building this park through the coming years into a spot that all citizens will be proud of and willing to help maintain. So please pick out good, young progressive citizens and turn them loose with suitable associates and use your own influence on members of the council that they may treat the park financially as it should be treated."

"Other cities our size have and maintain parks, so I see no reason why some members of our city government should consider every cent that is spent out there to be money wasted."

"Let us all remember that the boys who are away now fighting for us will come back some day and if they see a weed patch where they expect a nice place for their recreation those of us whom they depend on to keep the things going here will catch a little Cain I am afraid."

SOUTHERNERS TO BACK F. D. R.

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nor's conference, expressed a similar opinion.

"What have the Republicans to offer the South?" he asked. "Before the New Deal the farmers of Tennessee sat under Mr. Willkie's Commonwealth & Southern Power Lines and got nothing. Now we've got TVA."

Gov. Ellis Arnall of Georgia, whose state Democratic committee soon will pick delegates to the party convention expected to be called for July in Chicago, chose to emphasize that the Georgia delegation will be uninstructed. But the reform administration governor left no doubt he expected Mr. Roosevelt to be the presidential nominee and that Georgia's convention votes would be spotted primarily to guarantee an acceptable Southerner for the vice presidency.

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SHERIFF'S GIRL HALTS GENERAL JAIL DELIVERY

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would not do as much good as the subsidy program."

Ellender said he would propose a substitute program, in which the use of government funds to hold down cost of living by subsidies would be tied to wages. He added:

"I suggest putting a limit of one billion, 500 million dollars on subsidies with a provision that the "Little Steel" formula of wages be maintained, with the President having authority to make wage adjustments to correct inequities. I am not for subsidies if wages are permitted to go up."

Sen. Thomas (D) Okla., "farm bloc" leader, said some subsidies can be defended, but there can be no compromise on the general program of consumers' subsidies.

Survivors include a brother, Andrew, and a sister, Mrs. Frank McGinnis, both of Circleville.

Mr. Roundhouse some years ago was one of Circleville's finest athletes. Many persons still living in Circleville remember his ability as a basketball player.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 9 a. m. in St. Joseph's Catholic church, the Rev. Fr. Edward Reidy officiating. Burial will be in St. Joseph's cemetery by the Albaugh Co. Fall bearers will include Elliott Moore, Dallas Tracy, Fred Moeller, Robert Norroth, Robert Denman and Frank McGinnis.

Friends may call at the funeral home Wednesday evening. Recitation of the Rosary will also be Wednesday evening.

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FOX APPOINTED ACTING POSTMASTER AT ATLANTA

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Clarence Fox of Atlanta has received notice from the office of the postmaster-general in Washington D. C. of his appointment as acting postmaster in the village.

Mr. Fox recently took a civil service examination.

A vacancy exists at Atlanta as a result of the death of B. C. Hughes.

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WELDON AT CONVENTION

Judge Lemuel B. Weldon of probate court is in Columbus attending the annual convention of the Ohio Association of Probate and Juvenile Judges. The convention lasts four days, the judge intending to come home each evening.

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Gene TIERNEY, Don AMECHE, Charles COBURN

with

John LODER, Dolores MORAN

DIRECTED BY VINCENT SHERMAN

Music by John Van Druten and Les Carter—FROM THE STAGE PLAY BY JOHN VAN DRUTEN—Produced by George White

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PLUS HIT NO. 2

JOHNNY MACK BROWN in "DYNAMITE" and "SIX GUN GOSPEL" and RAY HATTON

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PLUS HIT NO. 3

ALICE FAYE and CARMEN MIRANDA in "THE GANG'S ALL HERE!"

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PLUS HIT NO. 4

Tom KEENE with his Famous World Prince in "ARIZONA ROUNDUP" HOPE BLACKWOOD

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Today, with the eyes of the world upon us, THE FOURTH WAR LOAN IS LAUNCHED!

TO DAY, the 18th of January, America's Fourth War Loan starts.

It is the largest of all war loans in terms of *individual participation*—in the amount you must dig down for.

And—it is, perhaps, the most important of all War Loans. For it comes at a time when the eyes of all the world are upon us; the eyes of our friends, the eyes of our enemies, the eyes of our own fighting men.

We have just entered the crucial year of the war, a year of destiny, a year that promises to decide how good or bad a world we'll have to live in all the rest of our lives. And the world is wondering how deeply we mean it when we promise our men we'll back their attack, and when we promise our Allies we'll stick with them not only through the winning of the war but through the winning of the peace as well.

The Fourth War Loan is the home front's first big test of this new and vital year. It will take unity and determination of will of all the people to make the Loan succeed.

The need for this and other War Loans should

be clear to every American. This war is the costliest effort ever undertaken by any country. It costs 250 million dollars each day. This is just the cost of the war, in addition to the regular, inescapable cost of running a great and huge country. Taxes can't take care of all this outgo. Neither can government borrowing from insurance companies, savings banks, corporations, and other large investors. It is necessary to turn to the people, their weekly wages, their savings accounts, the money tucked away in pantry sugar bowls, in socks, under mattresses.

This is as it should be. In a democracy, war is the business of all the people. Some must fight, some must work and put up the money.

It's the *only* way to raise the money. It's also the *right* way to raise the money. It gives you a good place to invest the extra money you have today. It's a curb on inflation, on that dangerous bulk of pocket money that leads to black markets and disastrous spending. It's a mattress for tomorrow, a sort of individually planned Social Security that will bring in welcome money in the years ahead when income might not be the Mississippi flood it is today.

These last are not the reasons for the Loans.

They are extra reasons, however, over and above the \$1 interest you get on every \$3 you invest. The fundamental reason for the Fourth War Loan is that your beloved America, at war and in danger, needs your help!

Every one who has a job or savings, should invest *at least* \$100—if possible, \$200, \$300, or \$500 *extra*. Some 5,000,000 Americans, volunteers, will be working to sell these Bonds. One of these volunteers will ask you to buy, where you work, at your home, or some other place. If by some chance, you're missed, find out where to buy and buy on your own.

The place where you work will have a quota. That's where you should make your major investment. That's where your personal quota really counts.

But...

The place you live also has a quota. Try to invest there, too. Other people will ask you. Salespeople, in retail stores, have volunteered to help and have an individual quota. If they ask you to buy, try to buy from them, too. Movie theaters, restaurants, schools, banks, postoffices, and many other places also will be selling bonds.

The Fourth Loan is a test of us as a nation.

The eyes of our fighting men are upon us to see if we are backing them.

... The eyes of our Allies are upon us to see if we are with them.

... The eyes of our enemies are upon us to see if we are soft enough to fall for a non-victorious, here-today-gone-tomorrow peace ...

Are we? *The answer is in your pocket!*



IN THE 4th WAR LOAN PICKAWAY COUNTY'S GOAL IS \$1,244,000
OF WHICH \$558,000 MUST BE BOUGHT BY INDIVIDUAL SUBSCRIBERS! THIS AMOUNT OF BONDS MUST BE BOUGHT BY FEBRUARY
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—: Social Happenings - Personals - News of Interest to Women :—

Mrs. Kirkpatrick Talks To Child Study Club

Group Meets At Home of Mrs. Pickens

SOCIAL CALENDAR

TUESDAY

D. A. R., HOME MRS. GEORGE H. Spangler, East Union street, Tuesday at 8 p. m.

D. U. V., POST ROOM, MEMORIAL hall, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

NEBRASKA GRANGE, THE grange hall, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

LOGAN ELM GRANGE, PICKAWAY school auditorium, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

PHILATHEA CLUB, HOME Mrs. Herschel Hinton, Pickaway township, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

SCIOTO GRANGE, COMMERCIAL Point school, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

PRESBY-WEDS., PRESBYTERIAN church, Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.

THURSDAY

WILLING WORKERS' CLASS, home Mrs. Walter Richards, Washington township, Thursday at 2 p. m.

PYTHIAN SISTERS, PYTHIAN castle, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

PICKAWAY P.T.A. PICKA-school, Thursday at 8 p. m.

PAST MATRONS' CIRCLE, home Mrs. Irene Newton, 456 North Court street, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

WILLIAMSPORT P.T.A. school, Thursday at 8 p. m.

ADVISORY COUNCIL 4, HOME Harry Kern, Jackson township, Thursday at 8 p. m.

FRIDAY

MAGIC SEWING CLUB, HOME Mrs. Roger Lozier, East High street, Friday at 8 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN'S Social club church social room, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

HARPER BIBLE CLASS, HOME Charles Kirkpatrick, North Pickaway street, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

LUTHER LEAGUE AND LADIES' societies of Christ Lutheran church, home Harry Kern, Jackson township, Friday at 7 p. m.

MONDAY

MONDAY CLUB, THE CLUB room, Memorial hall, Monday at 8 p. m.

ready organized. Miss Frances Hill and Miss Helen Liston will represent the sorority as her assistants.

Public officials and students of child psychology in wartime, have recognized the need for extending Girl Scouting to even more than the present membership of over half a million girls. As long ago as 1941 President Roosevelt said, "I should like to see Girl Scouting made available to even more girls than are now participating in it."

Miss Moagan will explain at the session in Memorial hall how every woman, any woman, can serve girls through Girl Scouting and will tell of real volunteer war work, as troop leader, assistant leader, committee member, or consultant.

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Surprise Party

Mr. Arthur England was honored at a birthday surprise party Monday at her home on South Pickaway street. Friends at the affair were the Rev. and Mrs. C. L. Ferguson, the Rev. and Mrs. Ross Hayslip and son, Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Storerock, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Clark and daughters, Eileen and Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman England and daughter, Yvonne, Mrs. Ray Leonard, Miss Babe Giffen of Circleville; Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Day and son, Paul, of Chillicothe, and Mr. and Mrs. England and son, Clyde, of the home.

Mr. England received many gifts. A dessert lunch was served at the close of the informal affair.

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Girl Scouts

Margaret Moagan, field executive in Girl Scouting, will be guest speaker at a meeting for the promotion of Girl Scout work in Pickaway county to be Wednesday at 8 p. m. in Memorial hall. Her talk will be a feature of the interesting program. The session is open to the public.

Thousands and thousands of girls in the United States are waiting to join the Girl Scouts. They are eager to serve their country. But before they can join, more troops must be organized, new advisers found, new leaders enlisted. Without the help of more adult volunteers, it will be impossible to give Girl Scout training to all the girls who are asking for it.

Circleville now has two Girl Scout troops, and within the last two weeks, two organizations, Mrs. Marion's Sunday School class of the Methodist church and Phi Beta Psi sorority, have taken steps to further scouting in the community. Members of Mrs. Marion's class have voted to sponsor a new Girl Scout troop, Miss Jayne Metzger and Miss Edith Schleicher volunteering as leaders. Arrangements have been made by Phi Beta Psi members to assist Miss Elizabeth Tolbert with her duties as leader of one of the troops al-

An Expectation Suit



A SUIT which is warm and light, and over which a topcoat slips easily, is as good a choice as any for the lady-in-waiting for the family heir.

This suit is designed with considerable detail interest toward the shoulder line, which adds height to the figure, and a box line for the jacket. The skirt has an adjustable waistline contrived with big snaps and buttons which demand no sewing chores as time goes on, to make a fit.

The fabric is not sheep-herd check, but what is called frost point check. Colors are navy, oxford and beige, with the white frost point.

chairman for the evening. Band and instrumental numbers will be in charge of Ray Creighton.

Joint Meeting
Luther league and Ladies' society of Christ Lutheran church will have a combined meeting Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kern, Jackson township. A covered dish dinner will be served at 7 p. m. All members of the congregation are invited.

Personals

Mrs. Turney Ross, who has been in the East visiting her husband, now in training at Fort Myer, Va., has returned home after a stay of more than a week at Washington, D. C.

Miss Evelyn Gatrell of Dayton spent the week end in Circleville with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gatrell, East Mound street.

Mrs. Carl Sterne and son of Columbus are guests of her mother, Mrs. L. J. Hall, of East High street.

Mrs. John Wolford of Pickaway township visited friends in Circleville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Parks of near Mt. Sterling were Monday business visitors in Circleville.

Mrs. Ferne Imler and daughter, Dorothy, of Kansas City, Mo., are staying at the Charles Imler home, East Main street, while visiting Mr. Imler who is a patient in Berger hospital.

LAURELVILLE

Mrs. A. L. Strous and Bishop Karshner were Tuesday guests of their sister, Mrs. Marcus Lutz of Columbus, who is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Huffman of Columbus were Tuesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Poling.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hosler of Columbus were weekend guests of Miss Lizzy Strous.

Miss Miriam Shupe returned to Columbus Tuesday after spending several weeks with her mother Mrs. Jean Shupe.

Friends here learned last week that Seaman Harold Archer who recently completed a course of training in Texas has been transferred to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Kruger spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Grove City, and Mr. and Mrs. Kruger of McArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harmon and daughter Jane of Columbus were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Harmon.

Mrs. Emily Weaver and Opal Miller of Lancaster were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Hoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Herron and children of Kirkwood were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ora Crider and children.

On last Thursday afternoon Mrs. Edith Ross and Frank Armstrong were united in marriage at the Armstrong home. The ceremony was read by the Rev. I. C. Wright.

Mrs. Nora Seitz of Amanda was Sunday guest with Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Dillie.

Mrs. Damon Pontious returned home Sunday after a visit with her husband at Boston, Mass.

Mrs. Forest Wolf left Tuesday for a visit with her daughter, Miss Martha Rose Wolf, of Washington D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Allen and Mrs. Robert Davis of Chillicothe were Sunday guests of Mrs. Lessel Allen.

Mrs. Derrell Karshner is visiting her husband, Derrell Karshner, of the Navy at Boston, Mass.

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ATLANTA

Wednesday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Evans were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Warner of Williamsport, Miss Leah Binns, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Warner, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Binns and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Evans and son.

Atlanta
Miss Jean Creighton of Capital university, Columbus spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mr. Omar Creighton and family. Mr. Creighton who has been ill at his home for the last several weeks is showing a gradual improvement.

Atlanta
Mr. and Mrs. Ned Davey of Sedalia were Sunday dinner guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Skinner and daughter Betty Lou.

Atlanta
Mrs. Elmer Hagley and her father John Margraf were Friday business visitors in Chillicothe.

Atlanta
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoppess and sons of London and Harry Hutchinson of New Holland were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wright and daughters Evelyn and Sandra.

Atlanta
Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Willis visited Friday afternoon with Mrs. Russell Minser of Chillicothe.

Atlanta
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris Sr. and daughter Joan, Miss Jean Graham and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris Jr. and son were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Stephenson and daughters of near New Holland.

Atlanta
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Canup of Xenia spent the week end at their home here.

Atlanta
Mrs. H. A. Mickey and daughters Doris and Lois and son Donald of Columbus, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Drake of Circleville, Marvin Johnson of Dayton, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drake and daughter Marilyn and sons Dean and Joe were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Drake and Mr. and Mrs. John Drake and family of Laurelvile.

Atlanta
Miss Norma Jean Speakman and Billy Joe Hots visited Sunday afternoon with Miss Janis, Paul and Gene Donohoe.

Atlanta
Miss Anne Betts was a guest Saturday afternoon of Miss June Peck.

Atlanta
Mr. and Mrs. Millard Shaw of Columbus were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Morris and daughters.

Atlanta
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Orr and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Skinner and daughter Betty were Saturday afternoon shopping visitors in Washington C. H.

With interest moved to the hip,

NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

Sergeant Orville F. Caldwell, son of Mrs. Frederick J. Bennett, 370 East Mound street, has been awarded the Good Conduct medal at the Bainbridge, Ga., army air base. The decoration, a red and white ribbon designed to conserve valuable metal, is authorized for soldiers who have been cited by their organization commander for character, fidelity, exemplary behavior, efficiency and who have served for more than one year.

Caldwell who joined the air force August 31, 1942, is a supply clerk at the basic pilot school at Bainbridge.

Private Clarence Lagore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alonso Lagore, South Court street, has been assigned an APO address. His mail goes to APO 512, care of postmaster, New York.

Private William Dixon has a birthday January 30, and he would be happy to hear from his friends. His mail goes to him at: ASN 15074801, APO 638, care of the postmaster, New York City, N. Y.

February 11 will be the birth date of Charles D. (Don) Wells, soundman third class, in the U. S. navy. His mail goes to him at the following address: Gropak, 2-B-3, care of fleet postoffice, San Francisco, Cal.

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Clydes R. Young, carpenter's mate, third class, has returned to Great Lakes naval training station, Illinois, after a boot leave with his wife and children in Columbus. Young's present address is: OGU Company 1748, U.S.N.T.S. Illinois.

Charles F. Morris of Saltcreek township has had a letter from his son, Private First Class Charles Morris, who is stationed in Italy, telling him that he had received nine Christmas packages and that they had surely helped him, as he was very homesick. The letter was

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Wartime Policies Cause Designers To Call On Their Finest Talents

America's fashion designers cannot be outdone, and one need to look only at some of the work done this year in preparation for Easter. Despite wartime restrictions on raw material, the designers this year have added a dash of ingenuity and have come up with something entirely new.

Circleville women are urged to take note of some of the work done. Shoes—leather models in which American designers excelled—are rationed. But there's plenty of wood, and, combined with imagination, it forms a new fashion highlight—costume shoes. The wooden platform sole fits the foot. It's held on by laces that attach to the sole or slip through it, lace over the foot and ties around the ankle. The laces are in the same print of the dress the shoes are to complement, and they are interchangeable for various costumes.

The same shortage of leather has hit the glove field—so gloves are also made of fabric to match the dress or suit blouse, an attractive new accessory fashion.

WPB restrictions banned the three-piece suit so designers have sponsored the skirt and jacket with gilet inset to simulate a blouse. Fabric conservation also demanded elimination of much of the wastage in two-piece costumes, a long-time American favorite. Designers have kept the two-piece appearance, but made the costume all in one piece.

Widths Governed
Conservation restrictions also limited the width of dresses and their overall dimensions. Designers countered at first with the slim, straight silhouette—but all American figures didn't fit these styles.

This Spring, they've incorporated the figure flattering tricks—the dipped in waist, skirt emphasis back emphasis and hip decoration into the silhouette yet still remained within the basic WPB restrictions.

These highlights are among the fashions for the Spring of 1944 being shown today in New York's wholesale dress centers.

Dress interest this year, in the collections of most of the top-flight wholesale designers, is centered at the hip and hemline. There's a long-bodied look and a lengthened torso line in most styles. This is achieved in all forms from the scooped-in waist-line effect featured by Nettie Rosenstein, to the chanel revival featured by Norman Norell in the hipbone length, almost waistless blouse. He's bowed to the interest of figure flattery a bit, however, by fitting in the waistline slightly, and placing a belt at the normal waistline in some models.

With interest moved to the hip,

the waist, sashes, or draping—also do their bit for figure flattery.

Feminine soft styles are the keynote for Spring and every trick in the book—and a fine assortment of new ones—are used this year.

STOUTSVILLE

Joanne and Margaret Frease of Columbus spent from Wednesday until Saturday with their grandmother, Mrs. Anna Frease, and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Christy. They accompanied their parents, Rev. and Mrs. Joseph Frease, home after they were New Year's dinner guests at the Frease and Christy home.

Stoutsburg

Mrs. Minnie Faunough has returned home after spending two weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Jack Kelly and family, and other relatives.

Wayne

Rife and sister, Doris Lee,

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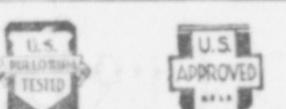
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51-ACRE stock farm, 5-room frame dwelling with slate roof, good barn, 60x30, with slate roof, shed attached and other outbuildings, located near a village. Price \$2600; 72-acre general purpose farm with 6-room brick dwelling with electricity, good barn, possession at once, terms to suit purchaser; 200-acre stock and grain farm, good improvements. Priced low for quick sale, possession given March 1; a frame duplex with bath and garage, price \$5000; and several other modern homes. W. C. Morris, 219 S. Court St. Phones 234 or 162.

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CAMPAIGN TO BE STAGED TO OBTAIN FUNDS

Downtown Quarters Will Be Open To City And County Youths

SERVICE CLUB PROJECT

Paid Supervisor, Probably Woman, To Be Named By Committee

First steps toward organization of the Youth Canteen for Circleville and Pickaway county youngsters to enjoy recreation, entertainment and fellowship were taken Monday evening when a committee representing various Circleville service clubs met in offices of the Ralston Purina company.

The plan outlined by persons attending the meeting is to obtain suitable quarters in the downtown district. A paid supervisor will be employed, probably a woman, a juke box will be provided for dancing, and candy, soft drinks and sandwiches will be made available. The Canteen would be for city and county youngsters.

The committee which conferred Monday evening named Hal Dean, representing the Kiwanis club, as chairman.

Committees Named

Committees appointed included: Finance: Ray Alter, Paul Johnson, Mack Parrett and Miss Rose Good.

Location: Mack Parrett, Tom Armstrong, Ned Stout and Judson Lanman.

Planning Committee to determine hours of operation, days to remain open and to decide on a supervisor: Mrs. Bartel Deming, Mrs. Tom Renick, Mrs. Glen Geib and Miss Margaret Rooney.

Housing Committee: Virgil Cress, Tom Armstrong, Ned Stout, Glen McCoy and Hal Dean.

First step in the Youth Canteen program will be a financial drive in which money will be sought to start the undertaking on its way. Mr. Alter has called his financial committee to meet Wednesday morning in order to get a campaign worked out. Contributions will be sought from organizations and from individuals, several members of the committee which met Monday already having promises from several townpeople and city civic organizations that money will be made available.

Need Stressed

The need for a Youth Canteen has been stressed by numerous organizations, but the action taken Monday evening was the first definite move toward getting the program in operation. Members of the committee declared that many problems have not yet been worked out.

The amount of money to be sought in the financial drive is indefinite, the committee declaring that a minimum of \$1,500 will be needed, with a possibility that much more than that will be required to properly organize the project.

The undertaking will have the support of the entire city is almost certain, since it has been realized for a long while that Circleville does not have a satisfactory place for its younger folk to gather. With proper supervision, the committee believes that the Youth Canteen will be the answer to this problem.

The general committee will meet next Monday evening to discuss progress made during the week in promotion of the Youth Canteen.

Service organizations represented at the Monday confab were Rotary, by Mr. Alter and Paul Johnson; Kiwanis, by Mr. Dean and Mr. Cress; Chamber of Commerce, by Mr. Parrett; Business and Professional Women, by Miss Good; Monday club, by Mrs. Deming and Miss Rooney; Child Conservation league, by Mrs. Renick and Mrs. Geib; Hi-Y club, by Mr. Armstrong and Ned Stout; Stooge Club, by Mr. Cress and Glen McCoy, and Junior Chamber of Commerce, by Mr. Lanman and Mr. Dean.

COUNTY COURTHOUSE SCENE OF MUCH ACTIVITY

Pickaway county courthouse is a beehive of activity, with a steady stream of persons moving in and out of the building buying dog licenses and paying taxes.

Thursday is the last day dog tags can be bought without paying penalty. After Thursday a fee of \$1 will be charged in addition to the regular price.

More than 1,700 persons had bought tags Tuesday, with a total sale of 3,000 expected.

The office of Treasurer R. G. Colville was kept busy all day Monday with persons settling up tax obligations.

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

ONE MINUTE PULPIT

His roots shall be dried up beneath, and above shall his branch be cut off.—Job 17:16.

Mrs. Ellen Root of 121 West Ohio street and Miss Myrtle Root, 148 West Main street, returned Monday from Columbus where they had been called by the serious illness of Mrs. Root's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Berry. While in Columbus, they called on Mrs. Root's granddaughter, Mrs. Robert Nichols, and great-granddaughter, Judith Elaine Nichols, at Mt. Carmel hospital. The baby was born January 7.

Mrs. Helen Black Anderson of Circleville Route 4, a patient in Berger hospital for medical treatment, was removed home Monday. Her condition is much improved. Her sister, Miss Anna Black, also of Circleville Route 4, remains in the hospital.

There will be a games party at the Elks club on Wednesday evening, starting at 8:30. The public is invited.

Mrs. Ralph Hunt of East Ohio street was returned home Tuesday from St. Anthony's hospital, Columbus, where she has been under treatment since January 4.

Former Sheriff Tom Bell, Watt street, observed his eighty-seventh birthday anniversary Tuesday. Mr. Bell is enjoying good health.

Regular meeting of Pickaway Lodge No. 23 F & A M work in M. M., Wednesday, January 19th, 1944. Brethren regularly constituted lodges welcome.

Trinity Lutheran Brotherhood meeting Thursday evening will be featured by an "intellectual baseball game". Members of the brotherhood will compete with a team of teachers of city and county schools who live in Circleville.

William M. Beavers, 420 South Court street, was taken to White Cross hospital, Columbus, Monday, for medical treatment. Mr. Beavers has been ill for the last several days, pneumonia threatening to develop.

Methodist Men's brotherhood is planning its first meeting in several months Wednesday at 6:30 p. m. The meeting will follow a dinner. Alfred Lee is chairman of the program committee.

The complete Pickaway county War Price and Rationing board will meet Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in the offices, West High street, to consider selection of a new chief clerk to succeed Elmer Stebleton.

Elks lodge members will gather at 6:30 Tuesday evening in the lodge home for a turkey dinner, initiation of candidates and a floor show. Past Exalted rulers' night will be observed with all chairs to be filled during the initiation by past officers of the lodge.

Funeral Services

Elba F. Roebuck—Private funeral Wednesday at 2 p. m. at home, West Franklin street; Rev. Carl Kennedy officiating; burial service, also private, in Forest cemetery.

Jeremiah Ziska—Funeral Wednesday 9 a. m. in St. Joseph's Catholic church; Rev. Fr. Edward Reidy officiating; recitation of Rosary at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in Defenbaugh funeral home; burial St. Joseph's cemetery.

TIMMONS GAINS AIR MEDAL FOR PACIFIC RAIDS

The Air Medal awarded recently to Sergeant Robert E. Timmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Timmons of near Fox Postoffice, by the War department was earned by the flyer during three important Pacific theatre of war raids.

Announcement that the flyer had received the medal was made two weeks ago, but the youth's parents had no definite knowledge at that time concerning the manner in which their son earned his honors.

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WAYNE BROWN IN RACE FOR COMMISSIONER

First non-officeholding candidate to toss his hat into the Pickaway county political ring for the 1944 primary is Wayne Brown of Madison township. Mr. Brown obtained a nominating petition Monday from the board of elections for the Democratic nomination for county commissioner.

Mr. Brown informed the board he intended to enter the race.

The candidate is only the third one to formally announce candidacy. Herbert E. Louis of New Holland, representative in the general assembly, let it be known two weeks ago at the Township Trustees' association meeting that he would run for his second term.

Henry T. McCrady, Circleville Democrat who is in his first term as county engineer, is also an avowed candidate for his second term.

McCrady has obtained his petition and has put it into circulation.

Several other officeholders have taken out petitions, but none has made a formal announcement, waiting for developments.

Deadline for filing nominating petitions is March 9, the primary being 60 days from that date.

FUGITIVE HITS BRIDGE, LEAVES STOLEN AUTO

A West Virginia parole violator who abandoned a stolen automobile on Route 104 at the Darby creek bridge was being sought through central Ohio Tuesday, although local authorities believe he has already made a getaway.

The man might have suffered injury, according to Deputy Sheriff Vern Pontious, after crashing the stolen car into the bridge over the creek at Dewey Park.

Sheriff's office received a call Monday that a car which had been in an accident was standing at the south entrance to the bridge. Investigation by Pontious showed the car to be a red 1941 Nash coupe.

The auto had hit the bridge at one end, glanced against the side of the bridge in about the middle and then struck the other end as it left the bridge. The car was badly damaged and was towed to the Stout garage.

Little damage was done to the bridge.

Pontious checked with the highway patrol and found that the car had been stolen in Charleston, W. Va., January 9. The tags on the vehicle had been issued for another auto.

FRIENDS AND RELATIVES SHARE \$10,000 ESTATE

Will of the late Rachel Linebaugh of Darby township leaves her estate to relatives and friends. The property is valued at \$10,000 including 100 acres of land in Darby township and residential property in Derby. Richard Simkins of Circleville is executor.

Bequests include \$100 to Bertie Hedges of Bellefontaine and Flora Stoner of Lucas county, and one-third interests in the balance of the property to Charles Poulson of Grove City, Caroline Harlor of Columbus and Lenora Sheppard of Briggsville and Gladys Downs of Darby township, the latter two being a one-third share.

The will was admitted to probate Monday by Judge Lemuel B. Weldon.

DARBYVILLE

Mrs. Wilda Fullen spent Wednesday with her husband, Private John Fullen, of Fort Thomas, Kentucky.

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Pearl Messmore and Virgil Collier are enjoying their nine-day boat training furloughs at their respective homes.

Miss Sara Luray, third and fourth grade teacher is now making her home with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Neff and family.

Mrs. Wilda Fullen, Mrs. Faye Slager and Mrs. Leonard Massie and son spent Wednesday with Mrs. Ernest Ely of Columbus.

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